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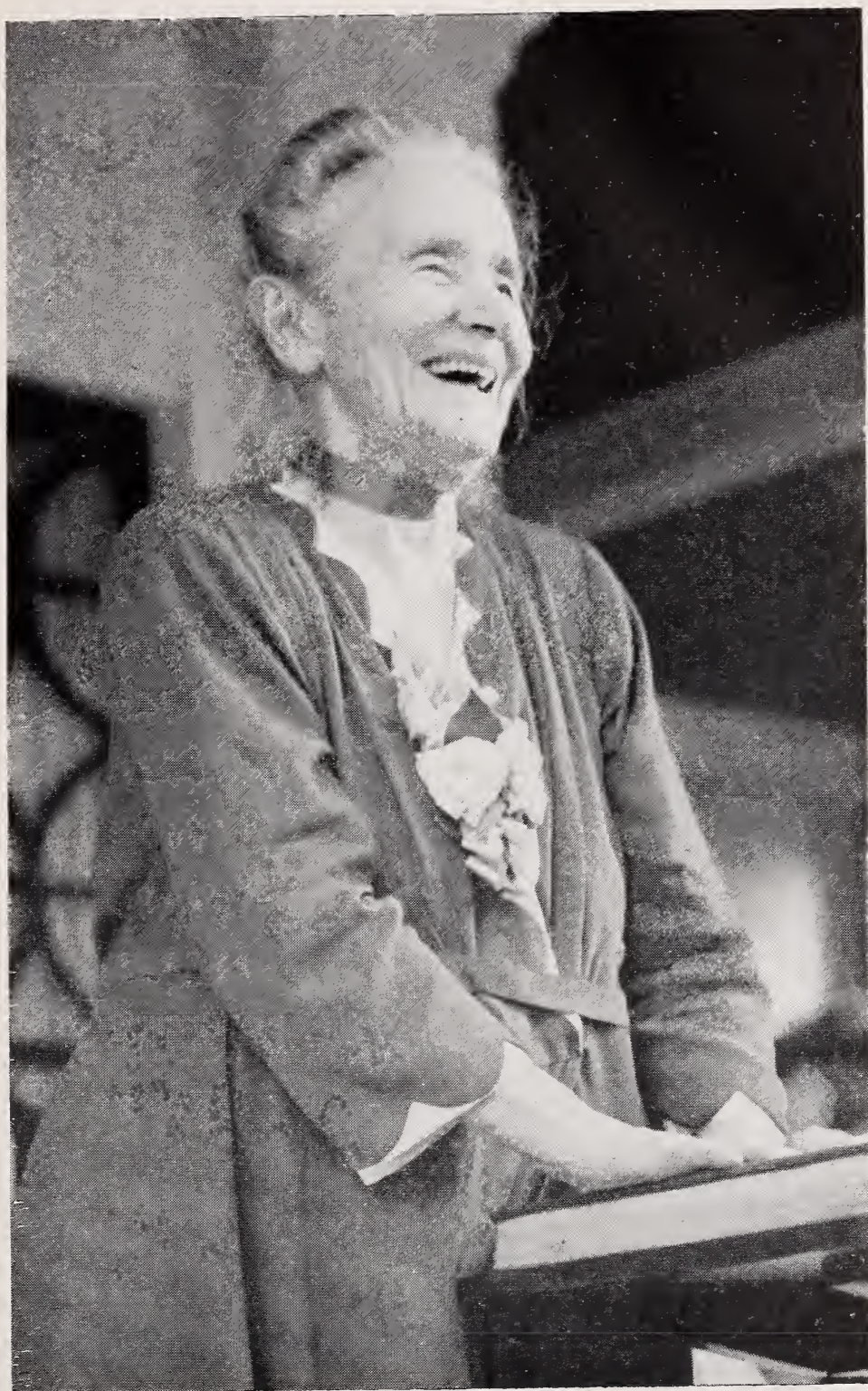
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## TOWN OFFICERS

### MODERATOR

Lincoln R. Lounsbury

### TOWN CLERK

Algie A. Holt

### TAX COLLECTOR

Algie A. Holt

### TOWN TREASURER

Charles J. Warren

### SELECTMEN

Louis Teixeira, term expires 1957

Forrest C. Mercer, term expires 1958

Chester F. Dutton, term expires 1959

### TOWN BOOKKEEPER

Florence E. Connell

### OVERSEER OF POOR

Albert J. Picard

### SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECK LIST

Theodore W. Gunn Thomas S. Nichols, Sr. Winslow C. Morse

### FIRE CHIEF

David J. Rochford

### 1ST DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF

J. Fred Webb

### 2ND DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF

Herman S. Woods

### HIGHWAY AGENT

Kenneth B. Wetherbee

### LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Lincoln R. Lounsbury, term expires 1957

Hazel N. Goyette, term expires 1958

Marshall P. Wilder, term expires 1958

CIVILIAN DEFENSE  
Appointed by Selectmen  
Albert J. Picard

POLICE  
Albert J. Picard, Chief  
Arthur Jackson, Reg.

SPECIALS

Bertrice H. Grant	Philip S. Cutter	David W. Crooker
Russell Ames	J. Fred Webb	Frederick A. Buckley
John Sweeney		Benedetto Zanga

DOG POLICE  
Appointed by Selectmen  
Albert J. Picard

SUPERVISOR OF WOOD AND TIMBER  
Appointed by Selectmen  
Albion J. LaFleur

CEMETERY TRUSTEES  
Appointed by Selectmen

Arthur E. Wheeler	E. Benjamin Armstrong
Frederick C. Koallick	

SEXTON OF CEMETERIES  
Arthur E. Wheeler

WATER DEPARTMENT  
Edmund Paradise, Supt.

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS  
George A. Morison, term expires 1957  
Wm. L. MacDonald, term expires 1958  
Charles T. Heater, term expires 1959

PUTNAM PARK COMMITTEE  
Appointed by Selectmen  
William R. Reekie Helen L. Paquet Martin J. Keenan, Sr.

ADAMS PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE  
Walter R. Peterson, term expires 1957  
Mary Fitzgerald, term expires 1958  
Henry H. Franklin, term expires 1959  
Gerald H. Faunce, term expires 1960  
Lawrence C. Bishop, term expires 1961



## BUDGET COMMITTEE

Everett Clement, term expires 1957  
 Kenneth A. Brighton, term expires 1957  
 Earl N. Shultz, term expires 1957  
 Raymond S. Lloyd, term expires 1958  
 Carey F. Johnson, term expires 1958  
 Forrest F. Tenney, term expires 1958  
 Dane P. Cummings, term expires 1959  
 Robert W. Fortin, term expires 1959  
 Charles T. Lawrence, term expires 1959

## FENCE VIEWERS

Lester D. Morris      Dane P. Cummings      Elting E. Morison

## AGENT TOWN CLOCK

Appointed by Selectmen  
 Carey A. Walbridge

## AUDITORS (ELECTED)

Kenneth B. Chandler      Ervin F. Diamond      Fred E. Murray

## PLANNING BOARD

Ernest B. G. Piggott, term expires 1957  
 Mrs. Hazel N. Goyette, term expires 1958  
 Erle G. Bishop, term expires 1958  
 Martin J. Keenan, term expires 1959  
 Richard H. Cherwin, term expires 1960  
 Karl B. Musser, term expires 1961  
 Forrest C. Mercer, ex-officio

## TOWN TREE WARDEN

Appointed by Selectmen  
 Benjamin M. Rice

# TOWN WARRANT

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the inhabitants of the Town of Peterborough in the County of Hillsborough, in said State qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Town on Tuesday, the twelfth of March next, at eight of the clock in the forenoon, (Polls close at 1 P.M. unless otherwise voted) to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing, and to vote to see if beano shall be legalized in said Town.

Article 2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of the Police Department, the Fire Department, Gypsy Moth and Dutch Elm Disease, Civil Defense, for the laying out and repairing of the Highways, Street Lighting, Old Age Assistance and Town Poor, Memorial Day, Community Christmas Tree, Adams Playground and Pool, Putnam Park, Peterborough Band, Monadnock Region, Town Planning Board, and for any other charges arising within the Town.

Article 3. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate toward paying the Town Debt and Interest.

Article 4. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees or Officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept legacies and gifts given to the Town in trust or otherwise by any individual or individuals.

Article 6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to place in a Capital Reserve Fund for the future purchase of equipment for the Highway Department, the Police Department and the Fire Department as recommended by the Planning Board, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety Four Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$894.15) provided the State gives Five Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty One Dollars and Two Cents (\$5,961.02) for the construction of Class V Highways.



Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to construct an additional twelve hundred feet (1200 ft.) of road extension of Goyette Drive, from its present terminal to Mercer Avenue, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not exceeding Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.) for the purpose of making improvements to the following Class V Roads within the Town:

HIGH STREET — From junction of High and Vine Streets to end of former TRA Construction at or near Colony Hall at MacDowell Colony.,

such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 83, Laws of 1951 as amended by Chapter 31, Laws of 1953, and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the date and place of payment of such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other steps as may be necessary to negotiate such bonds or notes as shall be to the best interests of the Town of Peterborough.

Article 10. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate to a sidewalk construction on the west side of High Street to the junction of McDowell Road, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 11. To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate to purchase 12" pipe, to replace the existing sewer and storm drains on High Street, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the repair or construction of the bridge over the Contoocook River on the Morison Road, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to purchase a new Dump Truck to replace the 1945 Mack Truck, dispose of the Mack Truck, and pay for the new truck from money now held in the Highway Department Reserve Fund, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to purchase a new Jeep 4 wheel drive Pickup Truck and snow plow, dispose of the present 1946 Dodge Pickup, and pay for the new Jeep with money now held in the Highway Department Reserve Fund, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to purchase a new Sidewalk Tractor Plow, and dispose of the present Tractor-Plow, and pay for the same from money now held in the Highway Department Reserve Fund, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to officially name one or more of its new streets or roads.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to make River Street a one-way street upon which vehicles shall proceed from Elm Street to Main Street only, and any violation subject to a fine not to exceed Twenty Dollars (\$20.00).

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to withdraw the funds set aside in the Capital Reserve Fund for the Union Street and Union Street Sidewalk, and apply the same to the General Funds of the Town, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town vote to adopt the Zoning Ordinance and Building Code presented by the Planning Board, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to develop the Swimming Pool area by making a permanent skating rink this year, to acquire additional land on the westerly side of the so-called Seccombe Lot for the present and future development of such recreational facilities as may be determined by the Recreational Committee and raise and appropriate a sum of money from the Albert W. Noone Trust Fund and to take any other action relating thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to improve and beautify Putnam Grove for use as a public park in accordance with the deed of gift of said Grove to the Town; said appropriation to be administered by a special committee appointed by the Selectmen for that purpose; or enact anything relative thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will instruct the Trustees of the Trust Funds to pay over to the Town Library Trustees a sum of money sufficient to finish and equip the addition to the Town Library now under construction. Said money to come from the Eben W. Jones Library Building Trust Fund set up by will and accepted at the Annual Town Meeting, March 11, 1941.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise the salary of the Highway Agent, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to install the following street lights:

Two 1000 lumen street lights on East Hill Road, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relating thereto.

Article 25. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer to borrow in antici-



pation of collection of Taxes for the current Municipal Year, and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town, negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be paid in the current Municipal Year from taxes collected during the current Municipal Year.

Article 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collector's Deed.

Article 27. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred Fifty-Seven

Louis Teixeira	SELECTMEN
Forrest C. Mercer	OF
Chester F. Dutton	PETERBOROUGH

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957. Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956.

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1956	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1956	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1957
<b>From State:</b>			
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$32,000 00	\$40,692 86	\$38,000 00
Railroad Tax	1,300 00		1,300 00
Savings Bank Tax	300 00		400 00
Reimbursement a/c State & Federal forest lands		15 85	
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood & Timber	1,200 00		
Flood Control		1,629 49	1,500 00
Reimbursement a/c Old Age As.		577 15	
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>			
Dog Licenses	400 00	567 22	500 00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	150 00	161 00	150 00
Fines & Forfeits, Municipal Court	200 00	596 46	200 00
Rent of Town Hall & other Bldgs	800 00	1,165 29	800 00
Income of Departments:			
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment		7,085 94	
(b) Fire Department		224 51	
Police Department		120 42	
Miscellaneous Accounts		35 53	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	12,000 00	16,675 63	15,000 00
Sale of Town Property		86 63	200 00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds		8,300 21	
<b>Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:</b>	175,000 00	100,000 00	175,000 00
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2	2,200 00	2,202 00	2,200 00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	950 00	970 00	950 00
(c) Yield Taxes		1,829 19	
<b>TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROP. TAXES</b>	<b>\$226,500 00</b>	<b>\$182,935 38</b>	<b>\$236,200 00</b>



# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH, N. H.

Purposes of Expenditures	Approp's Previous Year 1956	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1956	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1957
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>			
<b>General Government:</b>			
Town Officers' Salaries, Expenses, & Election & Regis. Expenses	\$17,000 00	\$14,850 38	\$15,000 00
Municipal Court Expenses	700 00	748 78	700 00
Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	6,000 00	6,166 01	5,500 00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>			
Police Department	11,500 00	11,787 45	12,500 00
Fire Department	8,400 00	8,104 31	6,600 00
Moth Exterm., Care of Trees	1,000 00	682 47	750 00
Korean Memorial	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Civil Defense	250 00	184 83	500 00
N. H. Marine Memorial	25 00	25 00	
Health Dept., including hospitals	1,000 00	1,047 50	1,250 00
Vital Statistics	400 00	368 75	400 00
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>			
Town Maintenance—Summer	31,500 00	33,179 62	34,000 00
Town Maintenance—Winter	17,500 00	25,004 09	17,500 00
Street Lighting	7,388 44	7,083 24	7,388 44
Gen. Exp. of Highway Dept.	3,000 00	2,911 13	3,000 00
Town Road Aid	896 58	896 58	894 15
Libraries	4,000 00	4,000 00	5,200 00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>			
Town Poor & Old Age Assistance	6,500 00	5,906 36	6,500 00
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>			
Memorial Day & Vet. As.	250 00	267 80	200 00
G. A. R. Repairs	1,250 00	1,115 00	
Zoning	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Parks & Playground, incl. Band Concerts	5,600 00	5,366 23	6,850 00
<b>Public Service Enterprises:</b>			
Town Water Charges	9,800 00	9,800 00	9,800 00
Cemeteries	3,500 00	3,500 00	3,000 00
Planning Board	500 00	428 59	500 00

# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH, N. H.

Purposes of Expenditures	Approp's Previous Year 1956	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1956	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1957
<b>Unclassified:</b>			
Advertising & Regional As.	940 00	940 00	891 00
<b>Interest:</b>			
On Temporary Loans	2,000 00	1,097 20	2,000 00
Outlay for New Constr. & Perm. Improv.:			
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>			
East Hill Road	2,000 00	2,283 95	
Central Street	1,000 00	999 75	
Sidewalk Construction	300 00	250 00	1,300 00
Traffic Signs	250 00	130 20	
Christmas Tree	50 00	49 00	50 00
<b>Indebtedness:</b>			
<b>Payment on Principal of Debt:</b>			
(c) Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	7,500 00	7,500 00	7,500 00
Payments to Other Gov. Divs:			
County Taxes	32,000 00	32,936 38	33,000 00
School Taxes	193,322 00	140,000 00	203,850 00
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$379,522 02</b>	<b>\$331,810 60</b>	<b>\$386,623 59</b>

## REPORT OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

The Budget Committee met originally with the three members of the School Board and the District Superintendent on February 4, 1957. At this meeting the School Board presented their proposed budget for 1957-1958. Then, at a second meeting of the two groups on February 18th, the Budget Committee suggested reductions in approximately nine of the twenty-seven separate items on the School Budget. After some discussion the School Board agreed to modify their proposed budget in all but one or two of the suggested items.

The matter of the Teachers' Salaries was the one item which caused the greatest controversy and which received the greatest attention on the part of the Budget Committee. The figure originally proposed for this item was \$146,333.00, representing more than one half of the entire School Budget. The Budget Committee recommended that the figure be reduced by \$7,600, giving a value of \$138,733. The School Board felt very strongly about the matter, however, and, rather than accept the Budget Committee's recommended reduction, finally compromised with a figure of \$142,533, by eliminating the proposed non-teaching principal for the elementary school.

Because the School Board members were so emphatic in their arguments to support the increased salary figure, and because they obviously had put a great deal of time and study into the matter, the Budget Committee feels that it is only fair to present here the gist of the School Board's argument.

The School Board feels that the Peterborough school system stands at a critical crossroads regarding its future operation and effectiveness as an educational center. Their researches and observations have convinced them that, because of changing conditions, the people of Peterborough must modify their conception of standard salary levels for teachers. Aside from a steadily increasing student enrollment and a corresponding rise in the number of teachers required there is in effect in most parts of the country a pronounced over-all rise in teachers' salaries. This one simple fact is the crux of the whole issue. Unless we pay our teachers what they can get in neighboring states they will leave us in favor of the more attractive salaries.

The Salary Schedule which the School Board had drawn up appears at first glance to represent a substantial across-the-board raise in salary for all the teachers. The point the School Board made regarding these blanket raises is that they represent an attempt to bring the average salary level up to the point where it is more consistent with other New Hampshire communities of comparable size, as well as to correct serious inequities which have existed for a number of years among the teaching staff. The School Board feels that once this new average salary is established the salary schedule now in effect will enable the whole salary picture to become stabilized.



On the other side of the picture is the fact that if the School Budget is accepted as presented, even with the modified Teachers' Salaries figure of \$142,533.00, and if the Town Budget is accepted as presented, the tax rate will be very close to \$40 per thousand compared to last year's rate of \$35 per thousand.

In the last analysis the whole issue of the increased teachers' salaries is in the hands of the townspeople of Peterborough, and the Budget Committee feels that it will have carried out its obligations to these townspeople if it presents both sides of the question as completely as possible. Then, with an adequate background, the voters can settle the matter according to their own judgment.

## TOWN BUDGET

In past years it has been customary for the Budget Committee Report to include an item-by-item commentary on the various items appearing in the Town Budget. Rather than take up space saying that such-and-such item is approved we will confine our comments in this report only to those items for which we feel special action is recommended. Thus if a budget item is not commented upon it is to be assumed that the requested appropriation is approved by the Budget Committee.

Article 12 in the Town Warrant involves the repair or reconstruction of the "Iron Bridge" over the Contcocook River on the Morison Road. It is the recommendation of the Budget Committee that no town money be appropriated for this project until the State Highway By-Pass issue is settled. There is the possibility that the bridge in question will be directly or indirectly involved in the new road construction, and the town might regret a premature decision on bridge expenditures.

Articles 13, 14 and 15 pertain to the purchase of a new dump truck, a new Jeep pick-up truck, and a new sidewalk tractor plow. The Budget Committee has reviewed the highway equipment status and endorses the proposal to purchase the three pieces of equipment.

Article 18 refers to the possible withdrawal of funds now in the Capital Reserve Fund for the Union Street and Union Street Sidewalk and the application of this amount to the General Funds of the Town. The Budget Committee introduced this article with the idea of easing to some extent the total town budget appropriation figure. The Committee feels that the proposed State Highway construction program may very possibly de-emphasize the need for the Union Street modifications, and that the money set aside for the modifications would therefore be serving a more useful purpose if it were made available for other more pressing applications.

Article 20 proposes the construction of a permanent skating rink near the present swimming pool on Union Street. The Budget Committee feels that the presence of a skating rink

would be appreciated by a large cross section of the townspeople and that the expense involved in constructing such a rink would be well justified.

Article 21 is to see if the town is willing to appropriate \$1,000 to improve and beautify Putnam Park. In view of the existing controversy on the subject of Putnam Park the Budget Committee recommends that the whole subject of the disposition of the Park be turned over to the Planning Board for detailed study. In this way the efforts to arrive at a plan suitable to the majority of the townspeople can be organized and integrated. The Budget Committee has encountered a number of good suggestions regarding the development of Putnam Park and would like to see these suggestions acted upon by a central clearing house. The Planning Board seems to be the logical choice to serve as such a clearing house.

Article 23 pertains to a raise in salary for the Highway Agent. The Budget Committee recommends the figure be raised from its present \$75 per week level to \$80 per week.

Highway Department: In an effort to economize wherever possible the Budget Committee recommends that the Summer Maintenance appropriation be reduced from the requested sum of \$16,000 to \$15,000, and that the Oil appropriation be dropped from \$15,000 to \$13,500, and that the sum of \$17,500 for snow removal be reduced to \$15,500. These three reductions would save the town a total of \$4,500.

Christmas Tree: The Budget Committee would like to suggest that the townspeople consider the possibility of planting a permanent Christmas Tree in some suitable location. Such a move would not only eliminate this item from our annual Town Budget but would also serve to beautify some presently drab street corner.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL N. SHULTZ, Chairman

KENNETH A. BRIGHTON

DANE P. CUMMINGS

ROBERT W. FORTIN

CAREY F. JOHNSON

C. TEMPLE LAWRENCE

RAYMOND S. LLOYD

FORREST F. TENNEY

EVERETT CLEMENT, Secretary

February 25, 1957

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES**  
**FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956**

Department	Appropriation	Receipts	Total	Spent	Balance
Town Officers' Salaries and Expenses, Election and					
Registration	\$17,000 00	\$25 00	\$17,025 00	\$14,850 38	\$2,174 62
Municipal Court	700 00		700 00	748 78	*48 78
Town House	6,000 00	1,165 29	7,165 29	6,166 01	999 28
Police Department	11,500 00	120 42	11,620 42	11,787 45	*167 03
Fire Department	8,400 00	224 51	8,624 51	8,104 31	520 20
Blister Rust and Care of Trees	1,000 00		1,000 00	682 47	317 53
Civil Defense	250 00		250 00	184 83	65 17
Traffic Signs	250 00		250 00	130 20	119 80
Health Department	1,000 00		1,000 00	1,047 50	*47 50
Vitals	400 00		400 00	368 75	31 25
Highway Summer	15,000 00	3,911 29	18,911 29	16,933 59	1,977 70
Highway Oil	13,500 00	1,859 15	15,359 15	14,983 13	376 02
Highway Snow	17,500 00	1,143 50	18,643 50	25,004 09	*6,360 59
Highway General	3,000 00	172 00	3,172 00	2,911 13	260 87
Bridge Account	500 00		500 00	494 07	5 93
Emergency Account	2,500 00		2,500 00	768 83	1,731 17
Sidewalk Account	300 00		300 00	250 00	50 00
Class V Highway	896 58		896 58	896 58	—
Street Lighting	7,388 44		7,388 44	7,083 24	305 20
East Hill Road	2,000 00		2,000 00	2,283 95	*283 95
Central Street	1,000 00		1,000 00	999 75	25
Old Age Assistance and Town Poor	6,500 00	577 15	7,077 15	5,906 36	1,170 79
Memorial Day	250 00		250 00	267 80	*17 80
Korean Memorial	1,200 00		1,200 00	1,200 00	—
N. H. Marine Memorial	25 00		25 00	25 00	—
Christmas Tree	50 00		50 00	49 00	1 00



G. A. R. Repairs  
 Adams Playground and Pool  
 Peterborough Band  
 Putnam Park  
 Cemeteries  
 Library  
 Town Water Charge  
 Monadnock Region  
 Planning Board  
 Zoning  
 Capital Reserve  
 Interest

1,250 00		1,250 00	1,115 00	135 00
5,000 00	9 03	5,009 03	4,803 70	205 33
500 00		500 00	500 00	
100 00		100 00	62 53	37 47
3,500 00		3,500 00	3,500 00	
4,000 00		4,000 00	4,000 00	
9,800 00		9,800 00	9,800 00	
940 00		940 00	940 00	
500 00	1 50	501 50	428 59	72 91
1,000 00		1,000 00	1,000 00	
7,500 00		7,500 00	7,500 00	
2,000 00		2,000 00	1,097 20	902 80
\$154,200 02	\$9,208 84	\$163,408 86	\$158,874 22	\$4,534 64

Grand Totals  
 \*Overdrafts

**INVENTORY OF TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH, N. H.,  
APRIL 1, 1956**

Lands and buildings		\$7,745,150 00
Mills and machinery		414,800 00
Electric Plants		224,100 00
House trailers, used as dwellings	3	2,000 00
Stock in trade		598,330 00
Horses	20	1,525 00
Cows	171	19,900 00
Sheep and goats	110	1,840 00
Fowls	17,847	17,650 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks		9,925 00
Furbearing animals & rabbits	30	600 00
Wood, lumber, etc.		950 00
Total Gross Valuation before exemptions allowed		\$9,036,770 00
Less Soldiers' exemptions		120,000 00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed		\$8,916,770 00

**APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1956**

Town officers' salaries, town officers' expenses, election and registration expenses	\$17,000 00
Municipal Court expenses	700 00
Town hall & buildings maintenance	6,000 00
Police department	11,500 00
Fire department	8,400 00
Civilian defense	250 00
Blister Rust, moth extermination and care of trees	1,000 00
Health department	1,000 00
New Hampshire Marine Memorial	25 00
Vital Statistics	400 00
Bridge account	500 00
Town road aid	896 58
Town Maintenance (highway)	46,000 00
New construction	3,000 00
General expenses of highway dept.	3,000 00
Traffic signs	250 00
Zoning	1,000 00
Highway emergency	2,500 00
Sidewalk	300 00
Street lighting	7,388 44
Korean Memorial	1,200 00

Libraries	4,000 0
Old Age Assistance & town poor	6,500 00
Christmas tree	50 00
Memorial Day	250 00
Parks & playgrounds, Inc. band concerts	5,600 00
Town water charge	9,800 00
Cemeteries	3,500 00
Planning board	500 00
G.A.R. repairs	1,250 00
Advertising & regional associations	940 00
Payments on debt	2,000 00
Capital Reserve Fund, to be raised by taxation	7,500 00
County Tax	32,936 38
School tax	193,322 00
<b>Total town &amp; school appropriations</b>	<b>\$380,458 40</b>
<b>Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:</b>	
Interest and dividends tax	40,692 86
Railroad tax	1,300 00
Savings Bank tax	300 00
Reimbursement a/c state & federal lands	100 00
Revenue from yield tax sources	800 00
Motor vehicle permit fees	12,000 00
Dog licenses	400 00
Business licenses & permits	150 00
Fines & forfeits, Municipal Court	200 00
Rent of Town property & equipment	800 00
Flood control	852 60
Cash surplus	10,000 00
Filing fees	12 00
<b>Total Revenues and Credits</b>	<b>\$67,607 46</b>
	<b>\$312,850 94</b>
Plus overlay	2,554 01
<b>Net amount to be raised by taxation</b>	<b>\$315,404 95</b>
Less Poll Taxes	2,348 00
National Bank stock taxes	970 00
	<b>\$3,318 00</b>
<b>Amount to be raised by Property Taxes</b>	<b>\$312,086 95</b>
<b>Taxes to be Committed to Collector:</b>	
Property taxes (rate \$35.00 per \$1,000 valuation)	\$312,086 00
Poll Taxes	2,348 00
National Bank stock taxes	970 00
<b>Total taxes to be committed</b>	<b>\$315,404 95</b>



## BALANCE SHEET

## ASSETS

Cash in the hands of the Treasurer		\$75,005 32
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Highway Dept. Reserve Fund	\$14,203 74	
Fire Dept. Reserve Fund	8,772 24	
Police Dept. Reserve Fund	405 19	
Union Street Sidewalk Reserve Fund	8,040 90	
Town Road Apportionment "B" Fund	10,317 24	
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		\$41,739 31
Bills Due Town:		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.		\$8 23
Due From State:		
Savings Bank Tax (1956)	\$410 88	
Railroad Tax (1956)	1,361 30	
Motor Vehicle Road Toll	101 70	
		<hr/>
		\$1,873 88
Due From Tax Collector:		
Balance of Head Taxes		\$5 00
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1956 Polls	\$160 00	
Levy of 1955 Head Taxes	5 00	
Levy of 1956 Head Taxes	565 00	
Levy of 1956 Property Taxes	6,794 88	
Levy of 1956 Yield Taxes	56 16	
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		\$7,581 04
		<hr/>
Total Assets		\$126,212 78

## LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by Town:		
Old Age Assistance	\$807 31	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	125 47	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	72 00	
Peterborough Lockers, Inc.	3 00	
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		\$1,007 78
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Highway Dept. Reserve Fund	\$14,203 74	
Fire Dept. Reserve Fund	8,772 24	
Police Dept. Reserve Fund	405 19	
Union Street Sidewalk Reserve Fund	8,040 90	
Town Road Apportionment "B" Fund	10,317 24	
		<hr/>
		\$41,739 31

## Due School District:

1956 Appropriation	\$53,322 00
Due Clerk of Court	\$10 25

## Due State:

Uncollected State Head Taxes	\$565 00	
Collected-not remitted to State Treas.	671 00	
1956 Bond & Debt (Yield)	261 35	
	<hr/>	\$1,497 35

Total Liabilities	\$97,576 69
Surplus	28,636 09

Grand Total	<hr/> \$126,212 78
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**ESTIMATES OF REVENUE USED BY THE SELECTMEN  
WHEN TAXES WERE MADE UP COMPARED WITH  
ACTUAL RECEIPTS**

Interest & Dividends Tax	Estimated Receipts	Actual Receipts
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$40,692 86	\$40,692 86
Railroad Tax	1,300 00	_____
Savings Bank Tax	300 00	_____
Reimbursement a/c State & Federal		
Lands	100 00	15 85
Reimbursement Flood Control	852 60	1,629 49
Revenue from Yield Taxes	800 00	1,829 19
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	12,000 00	16,675 63
Dog Licenses	400 00	567 22
Business Licenses & Permits	150 00	161 00
Fine & Forfeits, Municipal Court	200 00	596 46
Rent of Town Property & Equipment	800 00	1,165 29
Filing Fees	12 00	34 00
Cash Surplus	10,000 00	10,000 00
	_____	_____
Total Receipts	\$67,607 46	\$73,366 99
Total Estimated		\$73,366 99
		67,607 46
		_____
Excess of Receipts over Estimated		\$5,759 53

**SHOWING ANNUAL MATURITIES OF OUTSTANDING  
BONDS DECEMBER 31, 1956**

1950 WATER BONDS 1 7/8%

1951-1970—Original Amount	\$40,000 00
\$2,000.00, to be paid off every year for 20 years	
Balance Due	\$28,000 00

1953 WATER BONDS 2 1/4%

1953-1973—Original Amount	\$130,000 00
\$7,000.00, per year for 10 years	
then \$6,000.00, per year for 10 years	
Balance Due	\$109,000 00



# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT DECEMBER 31, 1956

## Dogs:

150 Male dogs licensed at \$2.00 each	\$300 00	
27 female dogs licensed at \$5.00 each	135 00	
99 spayed dogs licensed at \$2.00 each	198 00	
Penalties collected July-December	12 50	
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		\$645 50

## Paid:

Brown & Saltmarsh Inc., 300 tags & licenses	\$16 31	
Brown & Saltmarsh Inc., 2 dog books	6 77	
Algie A. Holt, town clerk's fee	55 20	
Paid town treasurer	567 22	
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		\$645 50

## Automobiles:

1955 automobiles licenses	\$193 09	
1956 automobiles licenses	16,482 54	
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		\$16,675 63
Paid Town Treasurer		\$16,675 63

## Paid Town Treasurer:

Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1955	\$14 00
Town Meeting Filings, March 1956	12 00
September Primary Filings	8 00
Sale of Town Histories during year 1956	320 40
Parking violations, 1956, 37 at \$.50 each	18 50
Paid Chief of Police	18 50

Respectfully submitted,

ALGIE A. HOLT,  
Town Clerk

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, DECEMBER 31, 1956

ALGIE A. HOLT, Tax Collector

## 1953 List

## DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955	\$2 00	
Interest on hand Dec. 31, 1955	28	
Interest collected	33	
	<hr/>	\$2 61

## CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$2 00	
Interest	61	
	<hr/>	\$2 61

## 1954 List

## DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955	\$4 00	
Interest	38	
	<hr/>	\$4 38

## CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$4 00	
Interest	38	
	<hr/>	\$4 38

## 1955 List

## DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955		
Property Taxes	\$8,166 61	
Poll Taxes	174 00	
Added Polls	32 00	
Interest	220 81	
	<hr/>	\$8,593 42

## CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	\$8,079 98	
Property Tax Sale	86 63	
Poll Taxes	184 00	
Interest Collected	220 81	
Abated	22 00	
	<hr/>	\$8,593 42

## 1956 List

## DR.

## Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property	\$312,086 95
Polls	2,348 00
Bank Stock	970 00

## Total Warrant

\$315,404 95

## Added Taxes:

Property	\$357 00
Polls	56 00
Interest Collected	27 83

\$440 83

\$315,845 78

## CR

## Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$303,879 82
Poll Taxes	2,202 00
Bank Stock	970 00
Interest Collected	27 83
Abated	1,811 25

\$308,890 90

## Uncollected December 31, 1956:

Property Taxes	\$6,794 88
Poll Taxes	160 00

\$6,954 88

\$315,845 78

## YIELD TAX REPORTS, DECEMBER 31, 1956

## 1955 List

## DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955	\$317 25	\$317 25
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## CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$317 25	\$317 25
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## 1956 List

## DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector	\$1,568 10	\$1,568 10
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## CR.

Paid Town Treasurer	\$1,511 94
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1956	56 16

\$1,568 10



**UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES  
SEPTEMBER 25, 1956**

Name	Tax	Int.	Costs	Total
Foote, Arthur E.	\$15 75	\$ 77	\$3 75	\$20 27
Paul, Francis S.	47 25	2 28	3 75	53 28
Ryan, Frank Heirs	7 88	39	3 75	12 02
Dickinson Jr., Richard	15 75	77	3 75	20 27
Totals	\$86 63	\$4 21	\$15 00	\$105 84

**REDEEMED TAXES**

Name	Tax	Costs	Disch.	Int. After Sale	Total
Day, Eva W.	\$735 00	\$4 00	\$ 50	\$52 12	\$791 62
Jarest, William	97 00	4 00	50	7 32	108 82
Dickinson, Richard, Jr.	20 00	3 75	50	4 38	28 63
Paid Town Treasurer					\$929 07

ALGIE A. HOLT  
Tax Collector

## UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES

1956 List:			
Aborne, Merlene	\$2	Martel, Sally M.	\$2
Atkins, Jr., Harry K.	\$2	Miles, Freda C.	\$2
Atkins, Janet	\$2	Miles Jr., Glen E.	\$2
Bassett, Emeline M.	\$2	Muncil, Lorena	\$2
Belliveau, Thelma	\$2	Muncil, Morton H.	\$2
Bingham, Arthur F.	\$2	Myhaver, Donald	\$2
Blanchette, Alice	\$2	Myhaver, Marjorie	\$2
Blanchette, Charles	\$2	Myhaver, Roland H.	\$2
Boudrieau, Virginia F.	\$2	McCoy, Ruth	\$2
Boynton, Virginia F.	\$2	McCoy, Herbert	\$2
Brassard, Ernest	\$2	McLaughlin, Margaret A.	\$2
Brassard, Lillian	\$2	McLaughlin, Lilly	\$2
Brown, Aline	\$2	Naglie, Edna	\$2
Brown, Charles R.	\$2	Naglie, Kenneth	\$2
Burbank, Mary F.	\$2	Paquet, Virginia T.	\$2
Carlson, Pauline	\$2	Piwowarczyk, Marion I.	\$2
Chamberlain, Elizabeth C.	\$2	Piwowarczyk, Theodore P.	\$2
Chamberlain, Evelyn	\$2	Price, Charles C.	\$2
Cook, Isabelle	\$2	Price, Doris A.	\$2
Currier, Guy	\$2	Putney, Richard	\$2
Donnelly, Eva M.	\$2	Rice, Edmund	\$2
Donnelly, John	\$2	Rice, Grace F.	\$2
Duquette, Maude E.	\$2	Rich, Mary C.	\$2
Duquette, Thomas H.	\$2	Rose, Valeda S.	\$2
Flanders, Hattie	\$2	Russell, Bernadette	\$2
Florre, Anthony A.	\$2	Russell, Joseph	\$2
Florre, Bella G.	\$2	Russell, Marion E.	\$2
Goodwin, Annette	\$2	Russell, Harold E.	\$2
Goodwin, Harvey	\$2	Shea, Ruth	\$2
Guinard, Clara	\$2	Smith, Ellen G.	\$2
Guinard, George	\$2	Soucia, Alfred W.	\$2
Hill, Cyril	\$2	Soucia, Irene	\$2
Hill, Irene R.	\$2	Stumpf, Anna	\$2
Hutchinson, James A.	\$2	Stumpf, Richard	\$2
Kenyon, Donald	\$2	Sullivan, Elveene	\$2
Lavoie, Caroline	\$2	Tatro, Eleanor	\$2
Lavoie, Gertrude	\$2	Whelan, Katherine	\$2
Lavoie, William	\$2	Woidja, Albert	\$2
Legere, Adele	\$2	Wright, Beatrice	\$2
Legere, M. Eva	\$2	Wright, Loren	\$2
		Total	\$160

**UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY TAXES**  
**DECEMBER 31, 1956**

Resident:

Allan, John & Louise, bal.	\$55 50
Bassett, Emeline S. & Est. Bertie S.	63 00
Blanchette, Charles	140 00
Brown, Charles R. & Aline	297 50
Burbank, George H. & Mary	24 50
Carson, Alice F. & Fred	47 25
Currier, Guy & Deborah L.	10 50
Currier, Guy & Steinert, Lucy	262 50
Currier, Richard	140 00
Davis, Kimball, bal.	34 50
Duquette, Maude	26 25
Durgin, Warren J.	323 75
Egan, Mary, bal.	49 50
Flanders, Herbert	339 50
Flynn, Sherman F. & Muriel V.	245 00
Forbush, Est. Luke O.	7 00
Goodwin, Harvey & Annette	175 00
Hadley, Grace	175 00
Heath, Newell J. & Yvonne F.	140 00
Jarest, Octave, Bal.	90 00
Miller, Edward A. & Elizabeth A.	70 00
Muncil, Morton H. & Lorena	52 50
Naglie, James C.	392 00
Naglie, Kenneth N. & Edna M. H.	92 75
Nason, James F. & Amelia	131 25
Nyland, Henry Jr., & Elizabeth	70 00
Parkhurst, Richard W. & Evelyn Y.	175 00
Price, Charles C. & Doris A.	210 00
Ramsey, William	145 25
Robertson, Est. Herbert A.	192 50
Rich, Mary	17 50
Rose, Vernon F. & Valeda	52 50
Rundlett, Marion H.	175 00
Russell, Joseph	17 50
Ryan, Frank Heirs	8 75
Sangermano, Minnie	105 00
Shea, Clifford E. & Ruth K.	157 50
Spaulding, Clayton W. & Ruth J.	217 88
Tatro, Eleanor	35 00
Wickham, Wilma B., bal.	114 00
Zengierski, Ida	96 25

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\$5,174 38



## Non-Resident:

Davis, John	\$105 00	
Dickinson, Richard, Jr.	17 50	
Foote, Arthur E.	35 00	
Johnston, Jeanie E.	5 25	
Leavett, Gladys P.	10 50	
O'Reilly, Roy & Francis	52 50	
Paul, Francis	87 50	
Paul, Georgiana	52 50	
Perrow, Sidney R. & Elsie M.	227 50	
Roper, Hazel M.	52 50	
Sawtelle Radio Service	43 75	
Van Dyne, Sheldon F. & Murray, Robert D.	10 50	
Walbridge, Irene M.	910 00	
Wicker, Barbara M.	10 50	
	<hr/>	\$1,620 50
Total Uncollected Taxes for 1956		<hr/> \$6,794 88

UNCOLLECTED YIELD TAXES  
DECEMBER 31, 1956

Read, Harold A.	\$56 16
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1955 POLL TAXES ABATED DECEMBER 31, 1956

Brosnan, William F., left town	\$2 00	
Brosnan, Mrs. William, left town	2 00	
Brown, Mary F., left town	2 00	
Dyer, Earl G., veteran	2 00	
Gioseffi, Rita, left town	2 00	
Gross, Joseph E., left town	2 00	
Jarek, Agnes, left town	2 00	
Robbins, Beatrice, deceased	2 00	
Schenk, Mary F., left town	2 00	
Schenk, William, left town	2 00	
Zengierski, Joseph, in service	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$22 00

**1956 POLL TAXES ABATED DECEMBER 31, 1956**

Barnard, Eleanor, res., Concord, N. H.	\$2 00	
Blodgett, Eva M., res. Jaffrey, N. H.	2 00	
Bourdon, Derilda, over 70	2 00	
Bourgoine, Jane M., res. Hillsboro, N. H.	2 00	
Bowman, Elizabeth M., veteran's widow	2 00	
Brown, Doris, res. Keene, N. H.	2 00	
Brown, Mary F., left town	2 00	
Chace, Anne B., res. Cambridge, Mass.	2 00	
Currier, Elizabeth, res. Tucson, Arizona	2 00	
Farnsworth, Clarence, over 70	2 00	
French, Eleanor, over 70	2 00	
George, Wallace B., over 70	2 00	
Heath, Yvonne, not here April 1st	2 00	
Hogan, Alice L., res. Michigan	2 00	
Karl, Frederick, res. Sharon, N. H.	2 00	
Karl, Isabel, res. Sharon, N. H.	2 00	
Lamp, Meretta, left town	2 00	
LeClair, Leola	2 00	
Littlefield, Esther M., over 70	2 00	
MacDonald, Susan, over 70	2 00	
Ramsey, Dorothy A., res. Rhode Island	2 00	
	—	\$42 00
Total Abatements for Poll Taxes		\$64 00

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**1956 PROPERTY TAX ABATEMENTS**

Wells, Walter, over-assessed	\$14 00
Lane, Nona B., taxed twice	26 25
N. H. Ball Bearings, Inc., over-assessed	1,715 00
Dickey, Mary Frye, over-assessed	1 75
Frye, Charlotte, over-assessed	3 50
Sanderson, Dorothy J, over-assessed	
Frye, Robert A, over-assessed	

Frye, Edwin L., over-assessed 8 75

Total Property Tax Abatements for 1956 \$1,769 25

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### OUTSTANDING TAXES, DECEMBER 31, 1956

1956 Poll Taxes	\$160 00
1956 Property Taxes	6,794 88
1956 Yield Taxes	56 16

Total Outstanding Taxes Dec. 31, 1956 \$7,011 04

I hereby certify that the above list showing the names and amounts due from each delinquent taxpayer as of December 31, 1956, on account of the tax levies, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALGIE A. HOLT  
Tax Collector

### SUMMARY OF WARRANT OF STATE HEAD TAXES

Levy of 1953

DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955	\$5 00	
Penalties	50	
		\$5 50

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$5 00	
Penalties	50	
		\$5 50



## Levy of 1954

## DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955	\$15 00	
Penalties	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$16 50

## CR.

## Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$15 00	
Penalties	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$16 50

## Levy of 1955

## DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955	\$665 00	
Penalties	67 00	
Added Head Taxes	110 00	
	<hr/>	\$842 00

## CR

## Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$680 00	
Penalties	67 00	
Abated	90 00	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1956	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$842 00

## Levy of 1956

## DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector	\$7,710 00	
Added Taxes	160 00	
Penalties	61 00	
	<hr/>	\$7,931 00

## CR.

## Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$7,165 00	
Penalties	61 00	
Abated	135 00	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1956	5 00	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1956	565 00	
	<hr/>	\$7,931 00

## ABATEMENTS

## 1955 STATE HEAD TAXES ABATED

Brosnan, William F., left town	\$5 00	
Brosnan, Mrs. William F., left town	5 00	
Brown, Mary F., left town	5 00	
Gioseffi, Rita, left town	5 00	
Gross, Joseph E., left town	5 00	
Jarek, Agnes C., left town	5 00	
Robbins, Beatrice, deceased	5 00	
Schenk, Mary E., left town	5 00	
Schenk, William, left town	5 00	
Zengierski, Joseph, in service	5 00	
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		\$50 00
Veterans:		
Charest, Arthur L., res. New Ipswich	\$5 00	
Fletcher, Sherman F., left town	5 00	
Gioseffi, Arthur, left town	5 00	
Jarek, Julius J., left town	5 00	
Johnston, Ralph, left town	5 00	
Pelletier, Paul J., res. Marlboro, N. H.	5 00	
Teatreau, Lester A., left town	5 00	
Richards, Rheal, left town	5 00	
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		\$40 00
Total abatements for 1955		<hr/>
		\$90 00

## 1956 STATE HEAD TAXES ABATED:

Barnard, Eleanor S., taxed in Concord	\$5 00	
Blodgett, Eva M., res. Jaffrey	5 00	
Bourdon, Derilda, over 70	5 00	
Bourgoine, Jane, res. Hillsboro	5 00	
Brown, Doris, left town	5 00	
Brown, Mary F., left town	5 00	
Chace, Anne B., Res. Cambridge, Mass.	5 00	
Currier, Elizabeth C., res. Tucson, Ariz.	5 00	
Farnsworth, Clarence H., over 70	5 00	
French, Eleanor, over 70	5 00	
George, Wallace B., over 70	5 00	
Heath, Yvonne, not here April 1st	5 00	
Hogan, Alice L., res. Michigan	5 00	
Karl, Frederick, res. Sharon, N. H.	5 00	
Karl, Isabel, res. Sharon, N. H.	5 00	
Lamp, Meretta, left town	5 00	
Littlefield, Esther M., over 70	5 00	
MacDonald, Susan, over 70	5 00	
Ramsey, Dorothy A., res. Rhode Island	5 00	
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		\$95 00

## Veterans:

Bourgoine, Joseph H., res. Hillsboro	\$5 00	
Brown, Arthur T., left town	5 00	
Charest, Arthur L., res. New Ipswich	5 00	
Currier, Richard, res. Tucson, Ariz.	5 00	
Heath, Newell J., not here April 1st	5 00	
Holden, Albert A., paid in Deering	5 00	
Kenyon, Donald, taxed twice	5 00	
Lamp, Carleton, H., left town	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$40 00
Total 1956 Head Taxes Abated		<hr/> \$135 00

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## UNCOLLECTED HEAD TAXES, DECEMBER 31, 1956

1955 List:		Miles, Jr., Glen E.	\$5
Smith, Harold R.	\$5	Muncil, Lorena	\$5
1956 List:		Muncil, Morton H.	\$5
Aborn, Merlene	\$5	Myhaver, Donald	\$5
Atkins, Jr., Harry K.	\$5	Myhaver, Marjorie	\$5
Atkins, Janet	\$5	Myhaver, Roland H.	\$5
Bassett, Emeline M.	\$5	McCoy, Herbert	\$5
Belliveau, Thelma	\$5	McCoy, Ruth	\$5
Bingham, Arthur F.	\$5	McLaughlin, Margaret A.	\$5
Blanchette, Alice	\$5	McLaughlin, Lilly	\$5
Blanchette, Charles	\$5	Naglie, Edna	\$5
Boudrieau, Virginia F.	\$5	Naglie, Kenneth	\$5
Boynton, Virginia F.	\$5	Paquet, Virginia T.	\$5
Brassard, Ernest	\$5	Piwowarczyk, Marion I.	\$5
Brassard, Lillian	\$5	Piwowarczyk, Theodore P.	\$5
Brown, Aline	\$5	Price, Charles C.	\$5
Brown, Charles R.	\$5	Price, Doris A.	\$5
Burbank, Mary F.	\$5	Putney, Richard	\$5
Carlson, Pauline M.	\$5	Rice, Edmund	\$5
Chamberlain, Elizabeth C.	\$5	Rice, Grace F.	\$5
Chamberlain, Evelyn I.	\$5	Rich, Mary	\$5
Cook, Isabelle	\$5	Rose, Valeda S.	\$5
Currier, Guy	\$5	Russell, Bernadette	\$5
Donnelly, Eva M.	\$5	Russell, Joseph	\$5
Donnelly, John	\$5	Russell, Marion E.	\$5
Duquette, Maude E.	\$5	Russell, Harold E.	\$5
Duquette, Thomas H.	\$5	Shea, Ruth	\$5
Flanders, Hattie	\$5	Smith, Ellen G.	\$5
Florre, Anthony A.	\$5	Soucica, Alfred W.	\$5
Florre, Bella G.	\$5	Soucica, Irene	\$5
Goodwin, Annette	\$5	Stumpf, Anna	\$5
Goodwin, Harvey	\$5	Stumpf, Richard	\$5
Gorski, Grace	\$5	Sullivan, Elveene	\$5
Guinard, Clara	\$5	Tatro, Eleanor	\$5
Guinard, George	\$5	Whelan, Katherine	\$5
Hill, Cyril	\$5	Woidja, Albert	\$5
Hill, Irene R.	\$5	Wright, Loren	\$5
Hutchinson, James A.	\$5	Wright, Beatrice	\$5
Kenyon, Donald	\$5		
Lavoie, Caroline	\$5		
Lavoie, Gertrude	\$5	Veterans:	
Lavoie, William	\$5	Allison, Robert A.	\$5
Legere, Adele	\$5	Barry, Thomas	\$5
Legere, M. Eva	\$5	Belliveau, Francis J.	\$5
Martel, Sally M.	\$5	Bourdon, Robert J.	\$5
Miles, Freda C.	\$5	Boudrieau, Thomas A.	\$5
		Boynton, Maurice W.	\$5
			<hr/>
			\$405

Brunell, Loren	\$5	Paquet, Donald C.	\$5
Burbank, George	\$5	Parkhurst, Richard W.	\$5
Caisse, Donald R.	\$5	Ramsey, William H.	\$5
Caron, Norman R.	\$5	Rose, Vernon	\$5
Chamberlain, Earl	\$5	Russell, Joseph, Jr.	\$5
Chamberlain, Norman	\$5	Sangermano, Minnie	\$5
Cook, Charles	\$5	Shea, Clifford E.	\$5
Flanders, Herbert	\$5	Smith, Harold A.	\$5
Guinard, Philip J.	\$5	Sullivan, Frank	\$5
Jarest, William	\$5	Whelan, John J.	\$5
Lavoie, Emile	\$5	Zengierski, Ida	\$5
Martel, Peter	\$5		
Murray, Joseph D.	\$5		\$160
Nyland, Elizabeth	\$5	Total Head Taxes uncollected	
Nyland, Henry J., Jr.	\$5	Dec. 31, 1956	\$565

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amounts due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1956 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALGIE A. HOLT  
Tax Collector

**TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT**  
**DECEMBER 31, 1956**

Cash on deposit in First National Bank, Jan 1, 1956	\$75,751 64
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Receipts:

First National Bank on tax anticipation notes	100,000 00
Selectmen	66,799 04

Algie A. Holt, Tax Collector:

Property and poll taxes	\$315,321 80	
Head Taxes	7,865 00	
Head Tax penalties	130 00	
Yield Taxes	1,829 19	
Interest	249 63	
Taxes redeemed	929 07	
Tax sales	86 63	
		\$326,411 32

Algie A. Holt, Town Clerk:

Automobile permits	\$16,675 63	
Dog licenses	567 22	
Filing fees	34 00	
		\$17,276 85
Algie A. Holt, Clerk municipal court		596 46
Algie A. Holt, history money		320 40

Total Receipts	\$587,155 71
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Expenditures:

Selectmen's orders	\$512,150 39
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Cash on deposit in First National Bank Dec. 31, 1956	\$75,005 32
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Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. WARREN  
Town Treasurer

# SELECTMEN'S REPORT DECEMBER 31 1956

## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Balance in Treasury Dec. 31, 1956 \$75,751 64

### Current Revenue from Local Taxes:

#### Algie A. Holt, Tax Collector:

Current and previous years' taxes	\$326,031 69	
Interest and penalties	379 63	
	<hr/>	\$326,411 32

#### State of New Hampshire:

Old Age Recovery	\$577 15	
Interest & Dividends Tax	40,692 86	
Flood Control	1,629 49	
State & Federal Forest Lands	15 85	
Head Taxes	613 89	
Apportionment "B" Fund	3,053 20	
	<hr/>	\$46,582 44

#### From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Town House, rent, etc.	\$1,165 29	
Permits & Licenses	161 00	
Fire Department	224 51	
Police Department	120 42	
Town Officers' Receipts	25 00	
Highway Summer	3,911 29	
Highway Oil	1,859 15	
Highway Snow	1,143 50	
Highway General	172 00	
Planning Board	1 50	
Adams Playground	9 03	
Capital Reserve	11,353 41	
Blue Cross	70 50	
	<hr/>	\$20,216 60

#### Receipts Other Than Local Sources:

First National Bank of Peterborough	\$100,000 00
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#### From Algie A. Holt, Town Clerk:

Auto Permits	\$16,675 63	
Dog Licenses	567 22	
Town Histories	320 40	
Filing Fees	34 00	
Municipal Court	596 46	
	<hr/>	\$18,193 71

Total Receipts from all Sources	\$587,155 71
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## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

## CURRENT EXPENSES OF GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries	\$5,830 50	
Town Officers' Expenses	8,156 57	
Election & Registrations	863 31	
Municipal Court	748 78	
Town House	6,166 01	
	<hr/>	\$21,765 17

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department	\$11,787 45	
Fire Department	8,104 31	
Blister Rust & Care of Trees	682 47	
Civil Defense	184 83	
Traffic Signs	130 20	
New Cruiser	875 00	
	<hr/>	\$21,764 26

## HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department	\$1,047 50	
Vitals	368 75	
	<hr/>	\$1,416 25

## HIGHWAY AND BRIDGES

Highway Summer	\$16,933 59	
Highway Oil	14,983 13	
Highway Snow	25,004 09	
Highway General	2,911 13	
Bridge Account	494 07	
Emergency Account	768 83	
Sidewalks	250 00	
Class V Highways	896 58	
Bailey Bridge	2,200 00	
New Loader	7,425 21	
Street Lighting	7,083 24	
	<hr/>	\$78,949 87

## NEW CONSTRUCTION

East Hill Road	\$2,283 95	
Central Street	999 75	
	<hr/>	\$3,283 70

## PUBLIC WELFARE

Old Age Assistance & Town Poor	\$5,906 36	
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## PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Memorial Day	\$267 80	
Korean Memorial	1,200 00	
N. H. Marine Memorial	25 00	
Christmas Tree	49 00	
G. A. R. Repairs	1,115 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,656 80

## RECREATION

Adams Playground & Pool	\$4,803 70	
Peterborough Band	500 00	
Putnam Park	62 53	
	<hr/>	\$5,366 23

## PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Cemeteries	\$3,500 00	
Library	4,000 00	
Town Water Charge	9,800 00	
	<hr/>	\$17,300 00

## UNCLASSIFIED

Monadnock Region	\$940 00	
Planning Board	428 59	
Zoning	1,000 00	
Damage by Dogs	70 75	
Head Taxes	8,033 68	
Apportionment "B" Fund	3,053 20	
Capital Reserve	7,500 00	
Taxes Bought by Town	105 84	
Blue Cross	79 55	
	<hr/>	\$21,211 61

## TEMPORARY LOAN

First National Bank of Peterborough	\$100,000 00
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## INTEREST

First National Bank of Peterborough	\$1,097 20
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## SCHOOL DISTRICT

Peterborough School District	\$198,496 56
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## PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

County Tax	\$32,936 38
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Total Payments	\$512,150 39
Balance in Treasury December 31, 1956, as per Treasurer's Report	\$75,005 32
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	\$587,155 71

# DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS

## Detail No. 1      TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES, EXPENSES & ELECTION & REGISTRATION

Appropriation	\$17,000 00
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Receipts:

Chester F. Dutton	25 00
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\$17,025 00

### Payments: Salaries

Louis Teixeira, selectman	\$750 00
Forrest C. Mercer, selectman	696 00
Chester F. Dutton, selectman	619 50
Algie A. Holt, town clerk	1,000 00
Algie A. Holt, tax collector	4,017 49
Charles J. Warren, town treasurer	200 00
Arthur E. Wheeler, sexton cemeteries	100 00
Charles T. Heater, clerk trust funds	550 00
Carey A. Walbridge, agent town clock	100 00
Florence E. Connell, town bookkeeper	1,825 00

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\$9,857 99

### Auditors:

Kenneth B. Chandler	\$30 00
Ervin F. Diamond	30 00
Fred A. Murray	30 00

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\$90 00

### Expenses:

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$321 04
Public Service Co. of N. H.	21 00
First National Bank of Peterborough	16 75
Martin J. Keenan, postmaster	121 84
Transcript Printing Co.	1,055 70
Sim's Press, Inc.	364 25
John Bellows Agency	52 50
Martin J. Keenan Ins., Agency	345 65
Hillsborough Co. Registry of Deeds	65 80
Hillsborough Co. Registry of Probate	80
Association of N. H. Assessors	3 00
N. H. Tax Collectors Association	3 00
Steele's Bookstore	13 68
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.	134 78
Addressograph & Multigraph Corp.	13 27
A. E. Martell Co.	23 57
Kenneth A. Brighton, Attorney	648 70
Thomas J. Leonard, Attorney	100 00
Carl Barret Typewriter Co.	70 00
Stella L. Sumner	91 00

State Tax Commission	1 25
Forrest C. Mercer	28 00
Chester F. Dutton	9 70
Florence E. Connell	12 29
Rodney C. Woodman, Florist	5 00
Barrett & Baker	5 85
Chases's	50 46
Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co., Inc.	20 34
Sargent Brothers	44 25
Burroughs Corp.	18 00
The Todd Co.	16 50
Howard Clock Products Inc.	192 06
Gallagher & Quinn Motor Trans.	1 91
James & Sarah A. Scott Home, Inc.	1 00
State Treasurer	160 76
N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare, OASI Fund	5 44

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\$4,039 08

Election & Registration:

Lincoln R. Lounsbury, moderator	\$75 00
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Supervisors of Check List:

Theodore H. Gunn	\$60 00
Winslow C. Morse	60 00
Thomas S. Nichols, Sr.	60 00

Ballot Clerks:

John E. Cass	\$30 00
Helen Paquet	30 00
Harry Wright	30 00
Gerald O'Connor	30 00
Ruth Wright	5 00
Annie V. Bryant	5 00

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\$385 00

Expenses:

Transcript Printing Co.	\$315 00
Steele's Bookstore	1 10
Sim's Press, Inc.	6 75
Albert J. Picard, Chief	8 75
Bertrice Grant	9 38
Forrest C. Mercer	15 00
Chester F. Dutton	38 60
John Sweeney	2 75
Gatto's Inn	30 00
The Tavern	35 75
Peterborough Diner	15 05
State Treasurer	18

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\$478 31

Balance

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\$14,850 38  
\$2,174 62



MUNICIPAL COURT

\$700 00

Kenneth A. Brighton, attorney	\$400	00
Algie A. Holt, clerk of court	180	00
Sim's Press, Inc.	24	30
Chases's	140	98
State Treasurer	3	50

\$748 78

\$48 78

### Detail 3

## TOWN HOUSE

\$6,000 00

Rentals	\$1,040	32
N. H. Tel. & Tel. Co.	84	97
Loan of Equipment	15	00
Restitution	25	00

\$1,165 29

\$7,165 29

John Sweeney, custodian	\$2,015	00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	599	20
A. W. Peters	1,514	79
Orvel B. Peince Co.	111	96
Derby's Store	10	00
Peterborough Hardware Co., Inc.	45	07
Archie Lussier, Sr.	65	00
E. A. Bishop Co.	277	00
John Bellows Agency	92	33
Martin J. Keenan Ins., Agency	675	06
Russell K. Ames	260	86
William R. Cuddihee	45	99
Richco Products, Inc.	18	55
Mason K. Harris	9	75
John Sweeney	4	31
Hafeli Fuel & Ice Co.	3	20
Monadnock Lumber Co.	76	03
Peterborough Water Department	80	00
Du-Ev Products Co., Inc.	70	94
Alfred Soucia	2	25

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# POLICE DEPARTMENT

Receipts:

\$11,620 42

### Payments:

\$4,679	89
3,960	98
370	13
150	06
93	79
78	16
83	79
66	89
50	02
10	00
224	53
110	33
27	95
310	15
2	00
2	40
1	50
15	30
64	58
262	55

Peterborough Hardware Co , Inc.	12 76	
Herbert Whitney	37 00	
Ken-More Supply Co	132 55	
Sirchie Finger Print Laboratories	12 41	
Albert J. Picard	40 00	
Martin J. Keenan Ins Agency	129 34	
John Bellows Agency	121 35	
Howard Boutwell	2 42	
Cheshire Signs, Inc.	130 00	
Thomas Boudrieau, Jr.	26 00	
The Elite Laundry Co.	2 40	
M. Linsky & Bros , Inc.	93 80	
Peterborough Diner	1 80	
N. H. Police Retirement Board	462 00	
State Treasurer	18 21	
N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare, OASI Fund	41	
	<hr/>	\$11,787 45
Overdraft		<hr/> \$167 03

# Detail 5                      FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$8,400 00
Receipts:		
R. W. Payne, Inc.	\$20 00	
State of N. H.	28 66	
James A. Coffin	8 35	
Burning Grass	80 00	
Town of Sharon	87 50	
	<hr/>	\$224 51
		<hr/> \$8,624 51

## Payments:

David J. Rochford, Chief	\$300 00
J. Frederick Webb, 1st deputy	100 00
Herman S. Woods, 2nd deputy	100 00
Carl Brown, custodian	475 00
Frank LaFlamme, treasurer's payroll	2,233 50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	136 92
Public Service Co. of N. H.	269 72
Peterborough Water Dept.	40 00
Peterborough Highway Dept.	33 66
Hafeli Fuel & Ice Co.	623 30
David J. Rochford	91 50
Southwestern N. H. Trans. Co.	15 57
J. H. Emerson	3 05

The Gamewell Co.	339	31	
Peterborough Hardware Co., Inc.	58	47	
Archie Lussier, Sr.	12	00	
Gorham Fire Equip. Co.	26	04	
Irene Crooker	2	10	
Martin J. Keenan Ins. Agency	321	52	
John Bellows Agency	143	84	
E. A. Bishop Co.	41	86	
Emmes Service Station	110	93	
Southwestern N. H. Fire Mutual Aid	10	00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc.	1	89	
Thompson & Hoague Co.	22	60	
Mason K. Harris	56	50	
James A. Coffin	723	11	
Hope Rubber Co., Inc.	843	31	
Steele's Bookstore	2	05	
Harry F. Pierce	5	50	
F. C. Mercer & Co.	85	85	
Wm. R. Cuddihee	6	33	
Sanel Auto Parts of Keene, Inc.	7	45	
Milton L. Farnham	40	80	
Monadnock Lumber Co.	3	50	
Derby's Store	68	04	
Nonie's Food Shop	3	70	
Esso Servicenter	3	41	
A. W. Peters	11	19	
F. A. Gleason & Son	8	80	
Thomas J. Craig	334	10	
R. S. Lloyd	2	85	
Orvel B. Peirce Co.	2	46	
Westinghouse Electric Supply Co.	269	40	
Blanchard Associates	26	19	
N. E. Gas Products, Inc.	9	86	
Frederick Webb	11	30	
State Treasurer	64	19	
N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare, OASI Fund	1	64	
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			\$8,104 31
Balance			<hr/>
			\$520 20

#### Detail 6      BLISTER RUST & CARE OF TREES

Appropriation	\$1,000 00
Payments:	
Monadnock Tree Service	\$682 47
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Balance	\$317 53



Detail 7

CIVIL DEFENSE

Appropriation		\$250 00
Payments:		
Ken-More Supply Co.	\$17 52	
Thomas Boudrieau, Jr.	148 35	
N. H. Civil Defense Agency	18 96	
	<hr/>	\$184 83
Balance		<hr/> \$65 17

Detail 7

TRAFFIC SIGNS

Appropriation	\$250 00
Payments:	
Ken-More Supply Co.	\$130 20
Balance	<u>\$119 80</u>

Detail 9

NEW CRUISER

Receipts:	
Trustees of Trust Funds, for Cruiser	\$875 00
Payments:	
Hopkins Garage, new Cruiser	\$875 00

Detail 10 HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$1,000 00
Payments:		
George Starkweather	\$624 00	
Varnum Bros.	100 00	
Herbert L. Whitney	12 00	
Peterborough Highway Dept.	311 50	
	<hr/>	\$1,047 50
Overdraft		<hr/> \$47 50

## Detail 11

Appropriation	\$400 00
Payments:	
Algie A. Holt, Clerk	368 75
Balance	<u>\$31 25</u>

DETAIL 12

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

	Summer	Oil	Snow	General	Bridge	Emergency	Sidewalk
Appropriations	\$15,000 00	\$13,500 00	\$17,500 00	\$3,000 00	\$500 00	\$2,500 00	\$300 00
Receipts:							
State of N. H., gas tax refund	224 70		284 70				
State of N. H.—reimbursement T.R.A.	830 19						
State of N. H.—from leased land by Government	7 50						
State of N. H.—use of grader	142 00	42 00					
Peterborough Water Department	380 18	91 68	80 08				
Peterborough Police Department	146 52		116 03				
Peterborough Fire Department	22 97		10 69				
Peterborough High School	899 97	74 05	167 84				
Peterborough Supervisory Union No. 47	9 71	3 17					
Patching and Graveling Driveways	289 63						
Tarring Driveways		1,494 15					
R. W. Payne, Inc.		154 10					
Calcium Chloride	203 10						
Misc., use of grader, bulldozer and loader	194 50		26 00				
Salt and treated sand	506 00		246 95				
Peterborough Post Office			62 55				
Varnum Bros.			82 50				
N. H. State Armory			16 00				
Monadnock Lumber Co.			20 55				
Boston & Maine Railroad				102 00			
Miscellaneous Sales	54 32		29 61	70 00			
	\$3,911 29	\$1,859 15	\$1,143 50	\$172 00			
Total Appropriations and Receipts	\$18,911 29	\$15,359 15	\$18,643 50	\$3,172 00	\$500 00	\$2,500 00	\$300 00

## Payments: Labor

Kenneth Wetherbee	\$1,642 50	\$472 50	\$480 00	\$15 00	\$15 00
Leslie E. Clark	15 00		922 50	52 50	
John Murray	1,324 50	430 50	1,542 00	12 00	
Harley Cass	1,046 50	316 40	1,507 80	11 20	
Louis Cote	1,031 25	277 50	1,355 00		
Daniel Wetherbee	982 80	374 50	394 80	11 20	
Albert Charest, Sr.	865 00	316 25	360 00		
John Donnelly	760 20	317 50	13 75		
Charles Cook, Jr.	207 50		887 50		
Ernest Seneschal			247 50		
Roy Sweeney	610 00	66 25	1,396 25		
Roger Sweeney	46 25		966 25		
Alfred Lavoie	355 00	182 50	10 00		
Kenneth Wetherbee, Jr.	8 75	32 50	5 00		
Henry Smith			10 00		
Robert Martin			6 90		
Louis Burpee			63 75		
Frank McLaughlin			22 50		
Leon Carlson			11 25		
Bruce Brenner			6 25		
John Cote			16 25		
Ernest Galand			11 25		
John Lafare			33 75		
John Bunce			45 50		
Kenneth Davis			31 50		
George Bourdon			40 00		
Edmund Lavoie			15 00		10 00
Albert Perry			41 25		
Howard Boutwell			48 75		
Donald Paquet			7 50		
Joseph Russell			10 00		16 25
George Seneschal			10 00		
Verde Hebert			2 75		
Norman Chalk			2 75		
Harold Pickford			11 25		
Malcolm Cook			6 25		
Totals	\$8,895 25	\$2,786 40	\$10,542 75	\$49 40	\$429 50

	Summer Maintenance	Oil	Winter Maintenance	General	Bridge	Emer- gency	Side- walks
Repairs and Supplies:							
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc.	\$2,412 89		\$327 15				
Consolidated Paint & Varnish Corp.	95 55						
Peterborough Hardware Co., Inc.	100 23		24 99	\$6 02			
Richards Tire Co.	181 90		210 81				
Clark & Stearns, Inc.	69 29			49 44			
Tucker's Garage	5 65						
Robertson Motor Co.	68 40		108 59				
Lambert Motors, Inc.	206 78		221 05				
Esso Service Station	9 19		7 00				
Monadnock Lumber Co.	24 67						
Cassellini Venable Corp. of N. H.	255 05				\$408 15	\$33 08	
Morris J. Wheeler	4 00						
F. C. Mercer & Co.	601 85		1,379 79				
Knowlton & Stone Co.	5 09						
Johnson Motor Parts, Inc.	21 64		26 95				
Treasurer, State of N. H.	260 07		260 07				
Barrett Equipment Co.	19 59						
Mack Motor Truck Co.	336 88		982 48				
Panther Co.	31 16		31 19				
Perkins-Milton Co., Inc.	5 21	\$21 51					
Merrill M. Cote, Inc.	35 74						
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc.	11 31						
N. H. Explosives & Machinery Co., Inc.	26 08	46 26	173 11				
Derby's	6 99						
Gale E. Hill	27 55		79 15				
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc.	73 22						
Orvel B. Peirce Co.	50						
Sanel Auto Parts of Keene, Inc.	19 72			47 37			
Louis Teixeira	37 04		236 83	24 90			
Palmer Spring Co.	189 82		61 25				
Emmes Service Station	3 00		40 55				
Santerre's Garage	4 00		3 70				
Hampshire Retreading & Tire Co.	87 83		10 28				
Peterborough Water Dept.	1 15		15 90				
Mason K. Harris	1,154 80			40 00			
J. E. Faltin Motor Trans. Co.	7	8 60		6 71			
Southwestern N. H. Trans. Co.		183 50		13 70			
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co.							



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	Summer Maintenance	Oil	Winter Maintenance	General	Bridge	Emer- gency	Side- walks
Homer Paradise	360 50						
Archie Lussier, Sr.			26 00				
Carey Johnson	100 66	4 50					
Keene Sand & Gravel, Inc.	37 50	296 46					
Cold River Sand & Gravel Corp.		482 87					
U. S. Army Corps of Engineers		60 00					
	\$602 66	\$1,461 78	\$4,396 50			\$179 00	
Asphalt:							
Trimount Bituminous Products Co.		\$10,081 80					
Gasoline & Fuel Oil:							
A. W. Peters	\$816 57	\$337 94	\$1,292 65				
Harris Oil Co.	218 21	55 34	298 01	\$725 89			
	\$1,034 78	\$393 28	\$1,590 66	\$725 89			
Total Payments	\$16,933 59	\$14,983 13	\$25,004 09	\$2,911 13	\$494 07	\$768 83	\$250 00
Balance	\$1,977 70	\$376 02		\$260 87	\$5 93	\$1,731 17	\$50 00
Overdraft			\$6,360 59				
Summer Maintenance:							
Compact Area of Town	\$3,947 58						
Tar Roads	3,909 42						
Gravel Roads	9,076 59	\$16,933 59					
Oil Account:							
Compact Area of Town	\$4,695 31						
Outside Area	10,287 82	\$14,983 13					
Snow Account:							
Compact Area of Town	\$13,128 54						
Outside Area	11,875 55	\$25,004 09					
Emergency Account:							
Compact Area of Town	\$663 83						
Outside Area	105 00						
General Account		\$768 83					
Bridge Account		\$2,911 13					
Sidewalk Account		494 07					
		250 00					
Total		\$61,344 84					

## Detail 13 CLASS V HIGHWAYS

Appropriation	\$896 58
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Payments:

Treas. State of N. H. 1956 appropriation,	
Town's Share	\$896 58

Detail 14 BAILEY BRIDGE

## No Appropriation

Payments:

Treas. State of N. H., Bailey Bridge	\$2,200 00
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Detail 15

NEW LOADER

### Receipts:

Trustees of Trust Funds, for loader	\$7,425 21
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Payments:

R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc., loader	\$7,425 21
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Detail 16 STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation	\$7,388 44
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Payments:

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$7,083 24
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Balance	\$305 20
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Detail 17 EAST HILL ROAD

Appropriation	\$2,000 00
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Payments:

Kenneth Wetherbee	\$195 00
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John Murray 176 25

Harley Cass	150 50
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Louis Cote 21 25

Charles Cook	20 00
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Roy Sweeney	111	25
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Albert Charest 125 00

John Donnelly	61 25	
Daniel Wetherbee	144 90	
Edward Elliott	708 00	
Carey Johnson	4 50	
A. W. Peters	83 93	
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc.	150 08	
Earl Bullard	110 70	
Harris Oil Co.	23 25	
R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc.	198 09	
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		\$2,283 95
Overdraft		<hr/>
		\$283 95

Detail 18                      CENTRAL STREET

Appropriation		\$1,000 00
Payments:		
Kenneth Wetherbee	\$90 00	
John Murray	124 50	
Harley Cass	99 40	
Charles Cook	15 00	
Roy Sweeney	43 75	
Albert Charest	77 50	
Daniel Wetherbee	64 40	
John Donnelly	30 00	
Louis Cote	40 00	
Edward Elliott	56 00	
Carey Johnson	4 50	
Earl Bullard	28 70	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co.	270 00	
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc.	56 00	
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		\$999 75
Balance		<hr/>
		\$    25

Detail 19      OLD AGE ASSISTANCE & TOWN POOR

Appropriation		\$6,500 00
Receipts:		
State of N. H., reimbursements O.A.A.		\$577 15
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		\$7,077 15
Payments:		
Albert J. Picard, Overseer's salary	\$500 00	
Office supplies, storage, etc.	55 86	
By Selectmen, Old Age Assistance	4,958 03	



By Selectmen, Town Poor	392 47	
	<hr/>	\$5,906 36

Balance		<hr/>	\$1,170 79
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### Detail 20 MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation		\$250 00
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#### Payments:

Peterborough Band	\$100 00	
Steele's Bookstore	40 00	
Rodney C. Woodman, Florist	117 80	
Peterborough Cemetery Dept.	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$267 80

Overdraft		<hr/>	\$17 80
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### Detail 21 KOREAN MEMORIAL

Appropriation		\$1,200 00
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#### Payments:

Rodney C. Woodman, Florist	\$60 00	
S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co.	1,140 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,200 00

### Detail 22 N. H. MARINE MEMORIAL

Appropriation		\$25 00
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#### Payments:

Harlan L. Goodwin, Treas.		\$25 00
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### Detail 23 CHRISTMAS TREE

Appropriation		\$50 00
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#### Payments:

John Murray	\$12 00	
Harley Cass	7 00	
Albert Charest	10 00	
Roy Sweeney	10 00	
Ernest Seneschal	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$49 00

Balance		<hr/>	\$1 00
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## Detail 24 G.A.R. REPAIRS

Appropriation		\$1,250 00
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## Payments:

Transcript Printing Co.	\$15 00	
C. Rodney Brown	1,100 00	
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		\$1,115 00
Balance		<hr/>
		\$135 00

## Detail 25 ADAMS PLAYGROUND &amp; POOL

Appropriation	\$5,000 00
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## Receipts:

Martin J. Keenan Ins. Agency	9 03
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	\$5,009 03

## Payments:

John Whelan	\$566 25
Howard Cutting	516 25
Ronald Bailey	562 50
Dolly Waite	315 00
Brenda Blomgren	225 00
Ruth Fitzgerald	280 00
Mary Bristol	135 00
Donald Kenyon	80 00
Joseph Russell	5 00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	197 17
Martin J. Keenan Ins. Agency	157 05
Peterborough Water Department	320 50
Peterborough Highway Department	12 50
Monadnock Lumber Co.	15 90
Richard Cashion	10 00
David Gavitt	5 00
Robert Fish	119 19
Cleveland Crafts Co.	110 34
N. E. Chemical Supply Corp.	42 76
Modern Swimming Pool Co.	3 26
Derby's Store	163 20
Emmes Service Station	17 51
F. C. Mercer & Co.	34 25
Peterborough Hardware Co.	6 71
Henry Franklin	8 29
Steele's Bookstore	3 30
John Bunce	10 00
Orvel B. Peirce Co.	75
R. S. Lloyd	1 04

Ronald Florre	2 50	
Peter Boudrieau	2 50	
Clark & Harris	79 25	
Archie J. Lussier, Sr.	24 00	
E. J. Hayward, Sr.	219 65	
The Great A. & P. Tea Co.	10 98	
The Clukay Pharmacy	4 16	
Alfred Soucia	12 25	
Wallace & Tiernan Inc.	37 79	
Howard Cutting	14 10	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange Inc.	155 64	
Mason K. Harris	125 00	
Lawrence Bishop	11 17	
Graves Electric Motor Shop	125 00	
State Treasurer	53 70	
N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare, OASI Fund	2 29	
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		\$4,803 70
Balance		<hr/>
		\$205 33

Detail 26	PETERBOROUGH BAND	
Appropriation		\$500 00
Payments:		
Peterborough Band, Ethel H. Farnham, Treas.		\$500 00

Detail 27	PUTNAM PARK	
Appropriation		\$100 00
Payments:		
Peterborough Water Department	\$25 53	
Peterborough Cemetery Department	25 00	
Alfred Morin	12 00	
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		\$62 53
Balance		<hr/>
		\$37 47

Detail 28	CEMETERIES	
Appropriation		\$3,500 00
Payments:		
Peterborough Cemetery Dept., 1956, appropriation for salaries & expenses		\$3,500 00

Detail 29	TOWN LIBRARY	
Appropriation		\$4,000 00
Payments:		
Peterborough Library, 1956 appropriation for salaries		\$4,000 00

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Detail 30	TOWN WATER CHARGE	
Appropriation		\$9,800 00
Payments:		
Peterborough Water Dept., charge for hydrants & hospital water		\$9,800 00

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Detail 31	MONADNOCK REGION	
Appropriation		\$940 00
Payments:		
Monadnock Region As., 1956 appropriation		\$940 00

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Detail 32	PLANNING BOARD	
Appropriation		\$500 00
Receipts:		
Erle Bishop		1 50
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		\$501 50

Payments:		
State Planning & Dev. Com.	\$31 33	
U. S. Dept. of Agriculture	129 00	
State of N. H.	90 00	
Herbert C. Nichols	18 75	
Ruth Cunningham	28 12	
Martin J. Keenan, postmaster	4 40	
S. M. Spencer Mfg. Co.	25 00	
N. H. Planning & Zoning Association	10 00	
Transcript Printing Co.	44 00	
Rodney C. Woodman, Florist	32 00	
State Treasurer	93	
N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare, OASI Fund	06	
William Russell	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$428 59
Balance		<hr/>
		\$72 91



## Detail 33

## ZONING

Appropriation

\$1,000 00

Payments:

Transcript Printing Co.

\$90 00

State of N. H.

910 00

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\$1,000 00

## Detail 34

## DAMAGE BY DOGS

No Appropriation

Payments:

Transcript Printing Co.

\$12 00

Forrest F. Tenney, D.V.M.

22 75

Albert J. Picard, dog officer

25 00

Normand Derosiers

11 00

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\$70 75

## Detail 35

## HEAD TAX

No Appropriation

Receipts:

State of N. H.

\$613 89

Payments:

State of N. H.

\$7,796 22

Algie A. Holt, collector

237 46

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\$8,033 68

## Detail 36

## APPORTIONMENT "B" FUND

No Appropriation

Receipts:

Trustees of Trust Funds, to reimburse  
town for 1955

\$3,053 20

State of N. H., reimbursement for 1955

3,053 20

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\$6,106 40

Payments:

Peterborough Co-Operative Bank  
(State's reimbursement)

\$3,053 20

Detail 37 CAPITAL RESERVE

Appropriation	\$7,500 00
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Payment:

Trustees of Trust Funds, for highway, Police & Fire Equipment	\$7,500 00
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Detail 38 TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Payments:

Algie A. Holt, Tax Collector:

Richard Dickinson, Jr., Frank Ryan Heirs,  
Francis Paul & Arthur Foote \$105 84

Detail 39

BLUE CROSS

Received from members	\$70 50
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Payments to N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service	\$79 55
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Detail 40                      TEMPORARY LOAN

Received from The First National Bank of Peterborough Tax Anticipation	\$100,000 00
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Paid The First National Bank of Peterborough	\$100,000 00
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Detail 41 INTEREST

Appropriation	\$2,000 00
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Paid The First National Bank of Peter-	
borough Interest on Temporary Loan	\$1,097 20

Balance	\$902 80
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Detail 42

## COUNTY TAX

Paid Albert W. Beaudet, Treas.

\$32,936 38

Detail 43

## PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Appropriation 1956

\$193,322 00

Receipts:

Balance due school Jan. 1, 1956

\$58,496 56

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\$251,818 56

Payments:

Robert W. Derby, Treasurer School District

\$198,496 56

Balance Due Schools Dec. 31, 1956

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\$53,322 00

## REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONERS FOR 1956

In the early spring, the Ralph W. Payne, Inc., of Keene, N. H. completed the installation of main line extensions at Old St. Road, East Hill Road, MacDowell Road, Off Bridge St., and the New Hampshire Ball Bearings, Inc., at South Peterborough.

We also lowered the main on Goyette Drive and Central Street to prevent freezing.

During the year we had twenty four applications for new services, as well as furnishing twenty four new meters.

As you will note from the balance sheet our total assets are \$424,629.30 as of December 31, 1956. Our total funded debt is \$137,000.

Our reserve for depreciation is \$86,479.50, only \$32,000 of which is in our Capitol Reserve Fund. One reason this fund is so low, is profits from operations in past years were used for current expenses, main line extensions, etc., to the end no surpluses were on hand with which to build up this fund. Until such a time as we can build up our depreciation reserve account in our Capital Reserve Fund to equal our reserve for depreciation account we are not in a position to install main line extensions only on a thirty day net basis.

Our net operating profit of \$17,115.54 plus interest on our Capital Reserve Fund brought our total profit to \$18,089.77 and after paying \$9,000 on the principal of our funded debt, plus \$3,093.75 interest on same left us a net of \$5,996.02 or about one and four tenths per cent as an investment of about \$425,000.

LOUIS TEIXEIRA  
FORREST C. MERCER  
CHESTER F. DUTTON

Water Commissioners



## BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1956

## ASSETS

Fixed Assets:		
Water supply land	\$7,293	67
Water supply structures	15,713	35
Pumping station structures	11,250	58
Water storage structures	78,768	00
Purification system structures	1,988	74
Pumping station equipment	5,150	67
Purification equipment	3,811	54
Distributions mains	199,540	73
Services	9,600	41
Hydrants	8,371	93
Meters	13,664	14
Other equipment	1,466	62
New main line extensions	21,958	47
Total Fixed Assets		\$378,578 85
Capital Reserve Fund		\$32,000 00
Current Assets:		
Cash	\$10,050	17
Material and supplies	3,055	42
Accounts receivable, water and other	944	86
Total Current Assets		\$14,050 45
Total Assets		\$424,629 30

## LIABILITIES

Municipal Investment		\$76,306 13
Funded Debt:		
Water Bonds 1 7/8%, due 1970	\$28,000	00
Water Bonds, 2 1/4%, due 1973	109,000	00
Total Funded Debt		\$137,000 00
Contribution to aid to construction		10,355 93
Reserve for Depreciation		86,479 50
Profit and loss		114,487 74
Total Liabilities		\$424,629 30
Additions to Fixed Assets:		
Distributions Mains	\$1,637	01
Services	1,446	78
Meters	574	98
		\$3,658 77

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1956

Operating Revenue:		
Commercial sales	\$22,268 60	
Hydrant rentals	9,607 50	
Other municipal sales	1,570 00	
Misc. water revenues	131 96	
Misc. sales and job work, net	164 53	
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Total Operating Revenues		\$33,742 59
Operating Expenses-Water:		
Source of supply labor	\$361 29	
Pumping station supplies & expenses	242 60	
Purification system supplies & expenses	65 79	
Power purchased	1,537 24	
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Total Operating Expenses		\$2,791 92
Distributions Expenses:		
Distributions labor	\$1,760 73	
Other distributions supplies and expenses	19 50	
Repairs to mains	614 33	
Repairs to services	795 09	
Repairs to hydrants	88 63	
Repairs to meters	702 24	
Repairs to distributions structures	6 50	
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Total Distributions Expenses		\$3,987 02
Other Expenses:		
Commercial supplies	\$506 16	
Insurance	104 00	
Social Security	98 18	
Shop expenses	35 06	
Garage expenses	369 74	
Depreciation	6,437 20	
Salaries to general officers	1,300 00	
Other general expenses	928 52	
Stationery and printing	69 25	
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Total Other Expenses		\$9,848 11
Total Expenses		\$16,627 05
Net Operating Profit		\$17,115 54
Non-Operating Income:		
Interest		\$974 23
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		\$18,089 77

Other Deductions:  
Interest Paid

\$3,093 75

Net Profit

\$14,996 02

### UNPAID WATER ACCOUNTS DECEMBER 31, 1956

#### DISTRICT 1:

Dennis O. Sutcliffe	\$9 73
Grace Hadley	5 00
Vernon F. & Valeda Rose	15 00
James F. & Amelia Nason	5 00
Minnie Sangermano	20 00
Morton H. & Lorena Muncil	10 00
Est. John H. Delaney	5 00

Total \$69 73

#### DISTRICT 2:

Warren J. Durgin	\$13 28
Alfred W. Soucia	5 00

Total \$18 28

#### DISTRICT 3:

Louise Rincon	\$5 00
Otis McQuillan	10 53
V. F. W.	10 88
Andrew Miller	5 18
Wm. J. & Elsie Thibault	5 00
Rita Lammi	6 58
Helen M. Mawhinney	10 63
Loren Wright	10 53
Lionel H. & Beatrice Emond	10 00
John J. & Nancy Brunell	8 68
Onezine J. & Rita A. Allen	17 36
Ida Zengierski	7 50
Joseph J. & Jeanette Gorski	25 75
Alfred T. & Dorothy Grimes	5 00

John B. & Delia Bourdon	5 00
Charles L. Pratt	5 00
R. H. & Marjorie Cherwin	11 38
Israel Sweeney	5 00
Richard O'Connor	5 00
Mary A., Edna & Rita Smith	5 88
Wm. & Barbara A. Cluff	8 33
Newcomb & Signil E. Harris	5 18
Dr. Alex Favre	12 50
G. E. Reed	5 88
Frank A. McLaughlin	52 52

Total \$260 29

#### UNPAID SERVICE LINES AND STOCK:

James & Sarah A. Scott	
Home Inc.	\$536 41
Alfred W. Soucia	53 60
Howard Whitcomb	6 55
	\$596 56

District 1	\$69 73
District 2	18 28
District 3	260 00
Unpaid Service Lines & Stock	596 56

Grand Total of Unpaid Accounts \$944 86

### GUARANTEED MAIN LINE EXTENSIONS

Wilder St., W. Peterborough, 1954, total cost	\$4,723 53
Credit to December 31, 1956	800 46

Balance Due \$3,923 07

MacDowell Road, 1955, Total Cost	\$1,800 00
Credit to December 31, 1956	90 00

Balance Due \$1,710 00

N. H. Ball Bearings Inc., Extension	
Jaffrey Road, 1955, Total Cost	\$4,700 00
Credit to December 31, 1956	235 00
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Balance Due	\$4,465 00
Extension, off Bridge St., 1955, Total Cost	\$3,700 00
Credit to December 31, 1956	186 00
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Balance Due	\$3,514 00
LaRoche Bros. Extension, Old Street Road, 1955,	
Total Cost	\$10,000 00
Credit to December 31, 1956	476 38
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Balance Due	\$9,523 62



# REPORT OF THE OVERSEER OF THE POOR DECEMBER 31, 1956

## TOWN WELFARE

Cases	Food & House Nec.	Board & Care	Fuel	Rent & Lights	Total
17				\$27 18	\$27 18
25	\$50 00			15 89	65 89
26	48 00			128 56	176 56
27		\$40 00			40 00
28			\$82 84		82 84
Totals	\$98 00	\$40 00	\$82 84	\$171 63	\$392 47
Appropriation					\$6,500 00
Reimbursals from Old Age Assistance					577 15
					<hr/> \$7,077 15
Payments:					
Town Welfare				\$392 47	
Old Age Assistance				4,958 03	
Albert J. Picard, Overseer				500 00	
Office expenses				55 86	
				<hr/>	\$5,906 36
Balance					<hr/> \$1,170 79

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT J. PICARD  
Overseer of Poor

**TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS ANNUAL REPORT FOR  
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956**

NAME OF FUND	Date of Creation or Security Number	Amount of Principal	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
<b>Common Trust "A"</b>			<b>Cemetery Funds</b>			
Abbott, Fred L.	3-14-50	\$150 00	\$5 83	\$6 54	\$4 00	\$8 37
Alexander, James F.	3-15-31	200 00	27 16	9 45	19 00	17 61
Allmanritter, Wm.	3-12-46	150 00	7 54	6 62	4 00	10 16
Anderson, A. M.	3-13-45	200 00	23 27	9 30	4 00	28 57
Armstrong, E. B.	3-11-47	300 00	82 63	15 83		98 46
Arnold Memorial Fund	3-9-54	150 00	1 78	6 39	4 00	4 17
Atkoczaitis Fund	3-8-55	200 00	6 13	8 63	4 00	10 76
Baldwin, Charles A.	3-13-51	200 00	12 29	8 87	4 00	17 16
Barrett, Forrest V.	3-12-40	200 00	38 94	9 92	4 00	44 86
Bass, Clara F.	12-2-35	300 00	39 74	14 15	7 00	46 89
Blaisdell, A. A.	3-13-45	150 00	26 88	7 36	4 00	30 24
Blodgett, Flora F.	3-11-47	200 00	19 26	9 14	4 00	24 40
Bryer, Walter A.	3-11-52	1,000 00	95 86	45 74	12 00	129 60
Brockway, Edmund	3-9-54	150 00	1 78	6 39	4 00	4 17
Buzzell, Edward A.	3-13-45	150 00	8 56	6 66	4 00	11 22
Caldwell, William H.	3-8-49	300 00	15 47	13 19	8 00	20 66
Campbell, John	3-13-45	150 00	22 76	7 20	4 00	25 96
Carley, A.	3-11-47	200 00	19 27	9 14	4 00	24 41
Carlton, Ana M.	1-25-36	150 00	19 32	7 05	4 00	22 37
Carter, Georgiana	3-9-54	200 00	6 71	8 67	4 00	11 38
Cass, John E.	3-11-47	150 00	46 15	8 20		54 35
Clukay, Frank E.	3-11-47	150 00	7 53	6 62	4 00	10 15
Colburn, Harry A.	3-8-49	250 00	30 15	11 67	4 00	37 82
Cummings, George D.	3-13-45	150 00	44 83	8 06	4 00	48 89
Cummings, James M.	3-17-31	150 00	17 17	6 97	4 00	20 14
Cutter, Daniel B.	4-4-94	300 00	133 66	17 81	4 00	147 47
Dane, John B.	3-11-41	150 00	16 75	6 97	4 00	19 72
Davis, C. P. & E. B.	3-12-46	150 00	2 08	6 39	4 00	4 47
Davis, Margie A.	2-2-37	200 00	16 64	9 05	7 00	18 69
Day, Eva & R. A.	3-11-47	300 00	19 77	13 38	7 00	26 15
Dean, J. Frederick	3-8-55	150 00	1 25	6 35	4 00	3 60
Derby Fund	3-9-48	200 00	17 98	9 10	4 00	23 08
Driscoll, Timothy E.	3-13-39	200 00	52 97	10 46	2 00	61 43
Dunklee, John A.	3-12-46	200 00	24 39	9 34	4 00	29 73
Eaves, H. D. & A. T.	3-14-50	150 00	6 34	6 54	4 00	8 88
	5-13-35					
Ellis, John E.	3-13-45	150 00	12 15	6 78	4 00	14 93
Emery, Scott E.	3-13-45	150 00	8 57	6 66	4 00	11 23
	3-3-26					
Field, William F.	3-11-52	200 00	14 98	8 98	4 00	19 96
Flagg, Margaret B.	3-13-56	150 00		6 31	4 00	2 31
Foote, Albert A.	3-13-45	150 00	27 68	7 40	4 00	31 08
Flewelling, H. E.	3-8-55	150 00	1 12	6 35	4 00	3 47
Foster, Carlos H.	3-11-47	283 37	42 31	13 54	4 00	51 85
Frost, Albert C.	8-10-18	150 00	17 68	7 01	4 00	20 69
Gowing Fund	3-11-47	200 00	24 28	9 33	4 00	29 61
Gowing-Robbins Fund	3-13-45	200 00	25 43	9 38	4 00	30 81
Goyette, Mrs. Charles N. & A. Erland	3-8-38	500 00	303 33	32 80		336 13
Graves, Mr. & Mrs. Donald B.	3-8-55	150 00	3 57	6 47	4 00	6 04
Green, Silas S.	9-28-36	250 00	18 34	11 21	8 00	21 55
	3-11-35					
Grimes, Alfred F.	3-13-51	150 00	8 82	6 66	4 00	11 48
	3-9-26					
Grimes, William M.	3-13-51	150 00	9 85	6 69	4 00	12 54
Hamilton, George A. & F. L. E.	3-10-53	1,000 00	107 64	46 21		153 85
	9-2-11					
Hardy, William	9-23-32	150 00	30 10	7 47	2 00	35 57
Harnden, Lucy P.	7-31-34	200 00	35 60	9 80	4 00	41 40
Haskins, Lily	3-13-45	200 00	23 55	9 33	4 00	28 88
	2-26-32					
Hatch, Riley S.	3-9-43	300 00	26 76	13 65	8 00	32 41
Hayes, Wilhelmina C.	3-8-55	150 00	1 65	6 38	4 00	4 03
Hill, William F.	3-13-45	150 00	9 84	6 69	4 00	12 53
Hannon, John D.	3-9-54	150 00	1 24	6 34	4 00	3 58
Hobbs, Lizzie Hill	3-12-46	200 00	20 72	9 22	4 00	25 94

Holland, Victor	3-14-44	150 00	11 53	6 77	4 00	14 30
Hovey, Almon T.	3-9-26	200 00	15 85	9 02	7 00	17 87
	3-15-28					
Hovey, Julia E.	3-12-40	200 00	40 03	9 96	4 00	45 99
Howe, Elbridge	3-4-21	175 00	14 36	7 91	6 25	16 02
Hunt, J. Norton	3-12-40	200 00	41 60	10 03	4 00	47 63
Hunt, T. N.	3-8-27	300 00	26 35	13 61	10 00	29 96
Jellison, Charles W.	3-10-42	200 00	19 97	9 19	4 00	25 16
	3-8-38					
Jones, Eben W.	3-10-42	2,100 00	338 31	101 38	4 00	435 69
King, Eva A.	3-14-50	150 00	5 87	6 53	4 00	8 40
Knight-Emery Fund	3-13-45	200 00	23 74	9 33	4 00	29 07
Knight, Mary E.	3-12-46	200 00	22 57	9 29	4 00	27 86
Larrabee, Edward N.	3-11-52	150 00	5 02	6 49	4 00	7 51
Liscord, Nellie W.	3-14-44	150 00	12 77	6 81	4 00	15 58
Livingston-Davis Fund	3-14-50	150 00	5 87	6 53	4 00	8 40
Livingston, William G.	1-24-22	200 00	14 57	8 98	7 00	16 55
Lord, Arthur H.	3-13-51	200 00	12 31	8 87	4 00	17 18
Lord, Henry C.	3-12-46	500 00	77 45	24 01	7 00	94 46
Marble, Ella C.	3-13-45	200 00	17 75	9 10	4 00	22 85
Marean, Virgil E.	3-13-51	200 00	12 51	8 91	4 00	17 42
Mercer, Forrest C.	3-13-51	300 00	29 39	13 63	4 00	39 02
Miller, Henry F.	3-9-43	200 00	30 16	9 57	4 00	35 73
Moore, F. Edson	3-9-48	150 00	7 17	6 57	4 00	9 74
	7-31-34					
Moore, William	3-12-46	200 00	24 15	9 33	6 00	27 48
Morison, George Abbot	3-13-51	500 00	13 91	21 55	14 00	21 46
Munkittrick, Robert A.	3-11-52	500 00	89 83	24 50	16 00	98 33
Murphy, Bernard & Hattie E.	3-8-55	150 00	1 25	6 34	4 00	3 59
Murphy-Schiari Fund	3-8-49	150 00	6 33	6 53	4 00	8 86
McClenning Fund	1-10-30	300 00	43 09	14 27	7 00	50 36
McCoy, H. F. & R. McCoy White	3-12-46	150 00	7 66	6 61	4 00	10 27
Needham Fund	3-9-26	200 00	12 08	8 87	7 00	13 95
	7-12-33					
Nelson, Fred E.	3-14-44	1,200 00	234 08	59 52	4 00	289 60
Nesbitt, Chaplain A. H.	3-13-51	250 00	20 96	11 32	4 00	28 28
Nichols, Florence L.	3-9-54	200 00	3 54	8 55	4 00	8 09
Nichols, Herbert F.	7-31-34	200 00	50 29	10 35	4 00	56 64
Nichols, Maurice H.	3-13-39	200 00	42 01	10 03	4 00	48 04
Nichols, Thomas B.	3-9-48	150 00	6 17	6 53	4 00	8 70
	3-13-28					
Noone-Ball Fund	3-8-38	200 00	39 35	9 96	4 00	45 31
	3-16-11					
Osborn, Milton E.	3-10-53	200 00	13 14	8 92	4 00	18 06
Parrott, Fannie R.	3-8-49	150 00	6 33	6 53	4 00	8 86
Parrott, Raymond C.	3-8-49	150 00	6 33	6 53	4 00	8 86
Peaslee, Louise W.	12-1-09	200 00	53 86	10 51	7 00	57 37
Peirce, Orvel B.	3-13-56	150 00	3 00	6 42	4 00	5 42
Phillips, Frederick & Alice B.	3-12-46	300 00	22 52	13 49	7 00	29 01
Pickering, Abbie	3-19-07	150 00	90 84	9 84	4 00	96 68
Pierce, Charles S.	1-30-36	200 00	37 73	9 88	4 00	43 61
Pratt, Louis G.	3-8-55	200 00	3 02	8 52	4 00	7 54
Prindle, E. P. & L. M.	3-13-45	300 00	61 69	15 01	4 00	72 70
	3-10-31					
Putney Fund	3-11-47	200 00	22 58	9 29	4 00	27 87
Ramsey, Nellie M.	3-14-50	200 00	14 29	8 95	4 00	19 24
Reynolds, Carl G.	3-11-52	150 00	2 81	6 42	4 00	5 23
Robbe, Alexander	3-8-38	200 00	39 18	9 95	4 00	45 13
Robbe, Edward & Martha	1-30-36	203 53	39 29	10 10	4 00	45 39
Robbe, Fred	3-14-50	200 00	9 97	8 79	7 00	11 76
	4-1-28					
Robbe, H. Maria	3-8-49	200 00	33 43	9 68	4 00	39 11
Robbe, Helen S.	3-11-52	150 00	9 91	6 69	4 00	12 60
Roberts, Belle M.	7-11-36	150 00	13 17	6 81	5 50	14 48
	12-2-36					
Sawyer-Ayer Fund	3-9-48	150 00	9 73	6 69	4 00	12 42
Sawyer-Noone Fund	3-12-46	150 00	8 09	6 61	4 00	10 70
Scott, Charles & Charlotte (Gate Fund)	3-8-27	1,500 00	330 21	75 86	17 50	388 57
Scott, Jennie S. (General Care Fund)	3-10-53	3,000 00	293 34	137 43	—	430 77
Scott, Jennie S.	2-20-18	500 00	264 01	31 27	14 00	281 28
Scripture, George M.	1-6-31	500 00	264 77	31 31	4 00	292 08
Shattuck, Mabel	3-13-51	150 00	5 02	6 49	4 00	7 51
	2-30-24					
Shedd, Edith M.	3-9-38	200 00	11 24	8 83	4 00	16 07
Smiley, John F.	3-8-38	150 00	16 48	6 93	4 00	19 41
Smith, Frederic W.	3-8-38	200 00	38 06	9 88	4 00	43 94
Smith, Katherine S.	12-10-23	200 00	16 01	9 02	7 00	18 03
Soule, Carlton A.	3-9-54	300 00	9 41	12 95	4 00	18 36



Spratt, Charles W. & Ethel L.	3-13-56	150 00	3 00	6 42	4 00	5 42
Steele, Frederic Ames	3-13-56	150 00		6 30	4 00	2 30
Stevens, E. C.	3-13-45	150 00	22 79	7 19	4 00	25 98
Streeter, Thomas W. & Ruth Cheney	3-8-55	300 00	2 23	12 68	7 00	7 91
	4-6-15					
Swallow, John E.	3-12-46	150 00	8 84	6 65	4 00	11 49
Sweeney, Fred	3-11-53	150 00	3 61	6 45	4 00	6 06
Taggart, J. A. & W. L. Webber	2-24-32	200 00	37 97	9 88	4 00	43 85
Taylor, George L. & Belle L.	3-13-56	150 00	3 00	6 42	4 00	5 42
Tenney, F. S. & Mrs. H.						
Tenney, F. S. & Mrs. H. A. Phillips	1-1-22					
	3-13-51	150 00	11 69	6 77	4 00	14 46
Tenney, Ina M.	3-11-47	300 00	47 00	14 43	4 00	57 43
Tonieri, Emil	1-12-46	200 00	21 30	9 23	4 00	26 53
Townsend, Fred C. & Clara M.	3-8-48	150 00	8 02	6 61	4 00	10 63
Tubbs, Flora & A. J. Avery	3-13-39	200 00	32 98	9 68	4 00	38 66
Tucker, Kate D. & W. F. Dane	3-13-39					
	3-11-52	200 00	21 24	9 22	4 00	26 46
Valenti, Marcello W.	3-9-43	150 00	20 23	7 09	4 00	23 32
Van Sickle, Alan L. & Dorothy W.	3-8-55	150 00	2 42	6 38	4 00	4 80
Vose-Fairbanks Fund	3-10-53	300 00	7 13	12 87	7 00	13 00
Warner, Sam B.	3-8-55	500 00	14 45	21 56	7 00	29 01
	3-29-25					
Weeks, Charles H.	3-13-44	175 00	19 97	8 14	6 50	21 61
Webb, George H.	3-8-55	200 00	2 49	8 51	4 00	7 00
Wells, Flora	3-11-52	200 00	7 87	8 71	4 00	12 58
White, Fred Martin	3-8-48	250 00	26 21	11 51	4 00	33 72
Wilder, Sophia H.	1-2-14	200 00	18 36	9 11	7 00	20 47
Wilkins, Charles D.	3-11-47	150 00	7 83	6 61	4 00	10 44
Wilson, Lewis P.	3-12-46	150 00	8 33	6 62	4 00	10 95
Wright, Anna Wilkins & Ana Hadley Carlton	3-9-54	300 00	3 60	12 75	8 00	8 35

TOTALS \$40,036 90 \$5,185 92 \$1,883 95 \$734 75 \$6,335 12

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#### COMMON TRUST "A" INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

Principal						
Peterborough Savings Bank	Account Bk27447	\$18,113 13		*\$633 96		
Income						
Peterborough Savings Bank	Account Bk27448		\$5,185 92	202 09	\$734 75	\$6,335 12
\$3000						
Prov. Nova Scotia 3- $\frac{3}{4}$ %						
Due 10-1-71	4G-12325/7	2,897 40		*112 50		
67 Shs.	Part of					
Bankers Trust Co., N. Y.	D91704	3,651 50		*187 60		
150 Shs.	CC11015					
Duquesne Light	NB42003	5,404 84		*285 00		
100 Shs.						
General Electric	NY/H343259	5,140 65		*200 00		
92 Shs.						
Continental Can Co. Inc.	CO220996	4,829 38		*82 80		
200 Shs.	See Note "A"					
Hazel Atlas Glass Co.	Y41264/5			*180 00		

TOTALS \$40,036 90 \$5,185 92 \$1,883 95 \$734 75 \$6,335 12

\*All Income credited to Book No. 27448 as received.

Note A.—200 shs. of Hazel Atlas exchanged for 92 shs. of Continental Can 9/13/56.

Unrealized Gain on Stocks and Bonds \$725.60

#### Common Trust "B":

Adams, John Q.	5-1-21	\$100 00	\$5 41	\$4 65	\$4 00	\$6 06
Aldrich, A. J.	12-12-23	100 00	5 80	4 67	4 00	6 47
Ames, George W.	12-1-19	100 00	6 61	4 71	4 00	7 32
Austin, Alonzo	3-5-36	100 00	6 10	4 67	4 00	6 77
Bailey, Harriet	5-4-07	100 00	6 23	4 67	4 00	6 90
Barker, J. J.	10-2-30	100 00	6 24	4 67	4 00	6 91
Blair, James P.	3-14-44	100 00	7 06	4 71	4 00	7 77
Bohonon, Sargent	5-28-00	100 00	5 68	4 67	4 00	6 35
Brackett, Joel V.	3-10-25	100 00	6 22	4 68	4 00	6 90



Bragdon, Emma J.	3-1-21	100 00	5 00	4 63	4 00	5 63
Breed Fund	3-9-26	100 00	7 11	4 72	4 00	7 83
Britton, Dennison D.	2-15-17	100 00	6 29	4 68	4 00	6 97
Brooks, Charles H.	1-27-21	100 00	6 73	4 71	4 00	7 44
Brooks, Jennie S.	4-24-36	100 00	6 62	4 71	4 00	7 33
Buck, Martha J. & Smith, C. F.	2-12-37	100 00	6 63	4 71	4 00	7 34
Burpee, George W.	5-11-11	100 00	6 87	4 71	4 00	7 58
Carll, Charles W.	11-11-16	100 00	6 29	4 68	4 00	6 97
Carter, Joseph L.	3-11-21	100 00	7 24	4 72	4 00	7 96
Chase, Willard D.	5-21-23	100 00	72 26	7 45		79 71
Cheever, Herbert P.	5-25-24	100 00	6 19	4 68	4 00	6 87
Childs, Mary L.	12-12-35	100 00	6 43	4 69	4 00	7 12
Clarke, Frank G.	7-22-16	100 00	6 84	4 71	4 00	7 55
Clark, Samuel & Albert S.	7-22-16	100 00	5 92	4 67	4 00	6 59
Clement, Fred A.	12-31-26	100 00	6 90	4 71	4 00	7 61
Clukay, Patrick	3-1-21	100 00	6 64	4 71	4 00	7 35
Colburn, Martin L.	7-30-10	100 00	6 29	4 68	4 00	6 97
Colson, Albert H.	3-13-28	100 00	6 82	4 71	4 00	7 53
	5-21-43					
Coy, Samuel	3-12-46	100 00	5 87	4 67	4 00	6 54
Cragin, Emma F.	4-10-35	100 00	6 55	4 71	4 00	7 26
Cragin, Mary F. (Pine Hill)	2-14-34	100 00	6 98	4 71	4 00	7 69
Cragin, Mary F. (Village)	2-14-34	100 00	6 52	4 71	4 00	7 23
Cram, Hiram T.	3-13-45	100 00	4 82	4 63	4 00	5 45
Cummings, George P.	3-10-25	100 00	6 67	4 71	4 00	7 38
Cummings, George W.	3-12-29	100 00	6 75	4 71	4 00	7 46
Dadman, William E.	10-31-15	100 00	7 20	4 72	4 00	7 92
Davis, Asa	12-15-18	100 00	6 87	4 71	4 00	7 58
Davis, Charles B.	3-9-26	100 00	6 75	4 71	4 00	7 46
Davis, Frank I.	3-9-20	100 00	6 36	4 68	4 00	7 04
Decker, Christopher	3-29-08	100 00	6 00	4 67	4 00	6 67
Derby, George N.	3-8-37	100 00	6 41	4 69	4 00	7 10
	9-8-00					
Eaton, Myron W.	3-19-20	100 00	6 56	4 71	4 00	7 27
Elliott, George E.	12-3-34	100 00	6 86	4 71	4 00	7 57
Ellsworth, Gertrude	3-9-43	100 00	37 78	6 01		43 79
Fairbanks, Ebenezer	1-27-16	100 00	6 92	4 71	4 00	7 36
Farmer, Alice C.	8-21-30	100 00	5 55	4 67	4 00	6 22
Farnsworth, A. A.	3-17-17	100 00	6 45	4 69	4 00	7 14
Farnum, Martha L.	12-1-09	100 00	6 82	4 71	4 00	7 53
Farrar, George W.	3-8-26	100 00	6 38	4 69	4 00	7 07
Felt, Oliver	12-8-24	100 00	6 22	4 68	4 00	6 90
Field, Forrest G.	11-9-18	100 00	6 31	4 68	4 00	6 99
Field, Ruth T.	12-20-02	100 00	19 74	5 26	4 00	21 00
	10-16-97					
Follansbee, Rachel P.	3-8-38	100 00	8 07	4 76	4 00	8 83
Follansbee, William	12-27-24	100 00	6 88	4 71	4 00	7 59
Forbush, George L.	9-28-31	100 00	6 17	4 68	4 00	6 85
Forbush, Luke O.	1-21-05	100 00	6 39	4 69	4 00	7 08
French, Whitcomb & Henry	1-29-10	100 00	6 37	4 69	4 00	7 06
	3-3-34					
Frost, Albert O.	3-10-36	100 00	6 57	4 71	4 00	7 28
Frost, Cyrus	9-11-18	100 00	6 31	4 68	4 00	6 99
Goodnow, Ellen N.	12-31-10	100 00	6 33	4 68	4 00	7 01
Goodnow, William S.	2-1-11	100 00	6 29	4 68	4 00	6 97
Goodwin, Doris E.	3-8-08	100 00	5 91	4 67	4 00	6 58
Gould, Daniel W.	3-9-07	100 00	6 90	4 71	4 00	7 61
Gray-Stevens Fund	2-14-11	100 00	6 87	4 71	4 00	7 58
Gray, William C.	3-1-12	100 00	6 90	4 71	4 00	7 61
Hadley, H. O.	11-11-16	100 00	6 51	4 70	4 00	7 21
Hadley, Thomas	3-10-42	100 00	6 43	4 69	4 00	7 12
Hamilton, George A.	2-26-23	100 00	5 79	4 67	4 00	6 46
Hescock, Allie L. Nay	9-22-22	100 00	6 24	4 68	4 00	6 92
Hill, George H.	3-11-35	100 00	6 31	4 68	4 00	6 99
Hillier, Esther Taylor	9-3-36	100 00	6 39	4 69	4 00	7 08
Holmes, Andrew J.	3-12-40	100 00	7 00	4 71	4 00	7 71
Holmes, Sarah L.	9-21-06	100 00	5 96	4 67	4 00	6 63
Holt, Charles W.	11-18-19	100 00	6 34	4 68	4 00	7 02
Holt, Joseph	1-21-31	100 00	6 08	4 67	4 00	6 75
Holt, Selinda	12-3-92	100 00	40 13	6 10	4 00	42 23
Hunter, Charles W.	1-29-24	100 00	6 76	4 71	4 00	7 47
Knowles, William A.	7-25-32	100 00	6 65	4 71	4 00	7 36
Lakeman, Eben T.	9-26-32	100 00	6 69	4 71	4 00	7 40
Lawrence, Walter	2-4-36	100 00	6 08	4 67	4 00	6 75
Lever, James H.	3-10-31	100 00	6 55	4 71	4 00	7 26
Livingston, Ellen J.	4-19-02	100 00	6 07	4 67	4 00	6 74
Livingston, Fred G.	6-30-24	100 00	6 88	4 71	4 00	7 59
Livingston, George F.	2-25-24	100 00	5 93	4 67	4 00	6 60
Livingston, Susan M.	7-1-05	100 00	6 87	4 71	4 00	7 58
Longley, George H.	3-8-27	100 00	6 10	4 68	4 00	6 78
Macomber, Charles E.	10-21-33	100 00	6 92	4 71	4 00	7 63

Marden-Maxson Fund	2-13-39	100 00	8 09	4 76	4 00	8 85
	3-13-34					
Marden, George W.	5-26-21	100 00	7 38	4 73	4 00	8 11
Marston, Clara Cross	5-19-25	100 00	8 95	4 30	4 00	9 75
Mason, Elva P.	11-1-30	100 00	6 34	4 68	4 00	7 02
Miller, Ellen A.	1-1-09	100 00	5 14	4 63	4 00	5 77
Moore, Nathaniel Holmes	3-8-38	100 00	6 55	4 71	4 00	7 26
Morison, Horace	3-13-51	100 00	1 83	4 50	4 00	2 33
Morison, Horace & James	1-23-04	100 00	4 74	4 63	4 00	5 37
Morrill, Johnathan G.	4-17-15	100 00	6 08	4 67	4 00	6 75
Morrison, A. P.	2-9-16	100 00	5 66	4 67	4 00	6 33
Morrison, Elmer L.	3-5-35	100 00	6 30	4 68	4 00	6 98
Morrison, M. L.	4-13-06	100 00	10 56	4 88	4 00	11 44
Myrick, Freeman F.	12-28-12	100 00	6 33	4 68	4 00	7 01
McCoy, Henry W.	3-8-27	100 00	6 29	4 68	4 00	6 97
McCoy, Samuel	11-13-18	100 00	7 08	4 67	4 00	7 75
McLeod, Kenneth A.	3-8-27	100 00	6 62	4 67	4 00	7 29
Naglie, Alina M.	12-2-35	100 00	5 51	4 65	4 00	6 16
Nay, John G.	11-25-18	100 00	6 34	4 68	4 00	7 02
Nay, Marshall	2-15-17	100 00	6 41	4 69	4 00	7 10
Nelson, Charles	3-8-28	100 00	6 13	4 68	4 00	6 81
Nelson, Davis F.	3-9-26	100 00	6 46	4 69	4 00	7 15
Nichols, Ben S.	1-29-11	100 00	6 46	4 67	4 00	7 13
Nichols, Charles K.	9-26-32	100 00	6 12	4 67	4 00	6 79
Nichols, Levi	1-28-13	100 00	6 65	4 71	4 00	7 36
Nichols, Samuel W.	10-7-32	100 00	6 33	4 67	4 00	7 00
Paige, Howard E.	11-1-30	100 00	6 65	4 71	4 00	7 36
Parker, D. M.	3-17-92	100 00	11 57	4 92	4 00	12 49
Pelsey, Freeman N.	2-3-22	100 00	5 80	4 67	4 00	6 47
Perry, Charles H. F.	3-3-34	100 00	6 20	4 67	4 00	6 87
Pettengill, Isaac	11-8-05	100 00	8 51	4 79	4 00	9 30
	3-8-21					
	3-9-43					
Pettengill, Walter E.	3-9-54	300 00	39 15	14 89	4 00	50 04
Piper, Clemena E.	12-28-12	100 00	6 44	4 67	4 00	7 11
Post, Blanche F.	9-21-35	100 00	5 98	4 67	4 00	6 65
Preston, Isaac F.	11-26-27	100 00	5 94	4 67	4 00	6 61
Pritchard, Jerry	6-28-23	100 00	7 04	4 71	4 00	7 75
Proctor, Ira J. & Flora M.	7-1-31	100 00	6 49	4 67	4 00	7 16
Ray, Gadie F.	3-13-28	100 00	6 52	4 69	4 00	7 21
Richardson, Charles R.	3-10-23	100 00	6 60	4 71	4 00	7 31
Robbe, S. D. & William	1-7-24	100 00	7 16	4 71	4 00	7 87
	3-8-17					
Robbins, Andrew J.	3-10-42	100 00	5 93	4 67	4 00	6 60
Ross, Adolphus M.	3-8-37	100 00	5 51	4 65	4 00	6 16
Russell, Ellen A.	3-25-16	100 00	6 60	4 71	4 00	7 31
Sanborn, Ella J.	11-19-19	100 00	6 45	4 67	4 00	7 12
Scott, Ana S.	12-13-04	100 00	10 33	4 86	4 00	11 19
Scott, John	10-15-17	100 00	7 38	4 71	4 00	8 09
Scott, Walter	2-12-21	100 00	3 87	4 59	4 00	4 46
Scott, William H.	1-13-14	100 00	6 58	4 71	4 00	7 29
Seavey, F. R.	3-14-22	100 00	8 58	4 79	4 00	9 37
Shedd, George	2-26-32	100 00	7 39	4 71	4 00	8 10
Sheldon, Perl E.	3-13-28	100 00	7 27	4 71	4 00	7 98
Simmons, Nellie H.	6-6-31	100 00	5 92	4 66	4 00	6 58
Skinner, Albert T.	7-29-33	100 00	6 30	4 66	4 00	6 96
Smith, Albert O.	1-29-24	100 00	6 57	4 70	4 00	7 27
Smith, Albert M.	7-21-17	100 00	6 84	4 70	4 00	7 54
Smith, Alden E.	3-10-31	100 00	5 84	4 66	4 00	6 50
Smith, E. H.	1-24-08	100 00	24 76	5 46	4 00	26 22
Smith, Ezra M.	3-13-28	100 00	6 34	4 66	4 00	7 00
Spaulding, Arthur H.	9-30-16	100 00	5 78	4 66	4 00	6 44
Spaulding, Clarence G.	7-27-36	100 00	5 87	4 66	4 00	6 53
Stone, John	8-16-34	125 00	94 26	9 48		103 74
Stone, Viola L.	11-24-06	100 00	15 57	5 05	4 00	16 62
Taggart, Mary E.	1-21-05	100 00	5 42	4 62	4 00	6 04
Tarbell, Allen S. & Ben	12-31-10	100 00	5 68	4 66	4 00	6 34
Tarbox, Luke & Phoebe	10-10-06	100 00	8 77	4 78	4 00	9 55
Taylor, Edwin H.	1-14-21	100 00	6 11	4 66	4 00	6 77
Templeton, Mary E.	3-9-43	100 00	4 46	4 58	4 00	5 04
Towle, Addie M.	1-31-21	100 00	7 16	4 70	4 00	7 86
Townsend, Alvin	2-19-17	100 00	6 52	4 68	4 00	7 20
Tracey, Fred A.	9-25-31	100 00	3 82	4 58	4 00	4 40
Treadwell, Lucy	4-1-01	100 00	31 78	5 75	4 00	33 53
Upton, Eldro	3-1-18	100 00	6 45	4 66	4 00	7 11
Wallace and Spline Fund	3-9-20	100 00	5 54	4 66	4 00	6 20
Wallace, Wm. & T. K.						
Ames	2-25-36	100 00	5 60	4 66	4 00	6 26
Wasburn, Clara	12-2-35	100 00	6 45	4 66	4 00	7 11
Weeks, Adana E.	3-12-46	100 00	3 57	4 57	4 00	4 14
	3-14-44					
Weston, S. J.	12-28-21	100 00	5 66	4 66	4 00	6 32
Wetherbee, Henry L.	3-10-52	100 00	4 45	4 58	4 00	5 03

Wheeler, William A.	3-11-29	100 00	6 70	4 70	4 00	7 40
White, Herman A.	8-31-12	100 00	7 79	4 74	4 00	8 53
White, Lydia B.	3-3-26	100 00	6 81	4 70	4 00	7 51
White, Samuel G.	3-19-20	100 00	7 77	4 74	4 00	8 51
Wilder, Ellen B.	2-28-32	100 00	6 84	4 70	4 00	7 54
Wilder, John F.	3-16-15	100 00	5 86	4 66	4 00	6 52
Wilkins, Clifton J.	2-14-16	100 00	12 76	4 95	4 00	13 71
Wilkins, Edgar M.	10-6-32	100 00	6 74	4 70	4 00	7 44
Willis, Adele C.	3-9-43	100 00	16 26	5 08	4 00	17 34
Winn, Sarah Carley	2-27-24	100 00	6 47	4 66	4 00	7 13
Wood, Harry O.	1-30-24	100 00	5 98	4 66	4 00	6 64
Young, Helen M.	11-21-01	100 00	11 69	4 91	4 00	12 60

TOTALS \$17,725 00 \$1,467 85 \$844 70 \$688 00 \$1,624 55

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#### Common Trust "B" Invested as Follows:

##### Principal

Peterborough Savings Bank						
Account Book No. 27449		\$2,726 21		*\$96 57		
Income						
Peterborough Savings Bank						
Account Book No. 27450			\$1,467 85	\$61 65	\$688 00	\$1,624 55
\$2000						
Prov. of Nova Scotia 3¾%, Due 10-1-71						
4G-12328/9		1,931 60		*75 00		
\$2000						
General Motors Acceptance Corp 3-5/8%, Due 9-1-75						
M110938/9		1,965 00		*72 50		
33 Shares Part of						
Bankers Trust Co., N. Y. D91704		1,798 50		*92 40		
52.5 Shares Note "B" NYC066315						
Carolina Power & Light Co.						
RCO-89641		1,274 96		*56 65		
53 Shares CO490299						
Commonwealth Edison Co. NO239122		2,135 45		*106 00		
53 Shares NC/0 56821						
Indianapolis Power & Light Co.						
NC/0 59980		1,392 95		*75 53		
30 Shares						
Ohio Edison Co. N220396		1,404 77		*74 40		
55 Shares Note "C" PY115738						
Wisconsin Electric Power PY127463		1,788 50		*84 00		
125 Shares Note "D" Part of C30718						
Union Pacific R R Co.—						
4% Pref. P40519		1,307 06		*50 00		

TOTALS \$17,725 00 \$1,467 85 \$844 70 \$688 00 \$1,624 55

\*Income credited to Book No. 27450 as received.

Note "B"—Rec'd 5% Stock Dividend 2/23/56.

Note "C"—Rec'd & Exercised 50 rts to subscribe to 5 shares at \$28.75.

Note "D"—Bought 25 shares 2/23/56—7/2/56 Stock split 5 for 1.

Unrealized Loss on Stocks and Bonds \$220.85

#### Common Trust "C":

Alexander, Bethia A.	12-18-16	\$50 00	\$4 14	\$1 99	\$1 75	\$4 38
Ames, Eliza A.	1-1-19	75 00	6 43	3 00	2 50	6 93
Ames, Fred J.	3-8-38	50 00	25 04	2 92		27 96
Ames, William	8-20-08	50 00	3 79	1 97	1 75	4 01
Bagley, George E.	12-12-23	75 00	6 60	3 01	2 50	7 11
Baker, William E.	1-24-22	75 00	6 24	2 99	2 50	6 73
	11-5-14					
Blair, George W.	3-14-33	75 00	6 31	2 99	2 50	6 80
Blood, Mary R. C.	3-8-38	50 00	4 11	1 99	1 75	4 35
Bowers, Julia A.	5-1-06	75 00	6 97	3 02	2 50	7 49
Buckminster, Allen A.	3-14-04	50 00	4 36	2 00	1 75	4 61
Clark, Charlotte M.	8-20-23	50 00	3 87	1 97	1 75	4 09
Clark, Anna B.	7-18-21	75 00	6 86	3 01	2 50	7 37
Collins, James H.	1-13-20	75 00	6 64	3 01	2 50	7 15
Collins, John M.	1-13-20	50 00	4 77	2 01	1 75	5 03
Conant, Diana P.	12-11-16	50 00	4 66	2 01	1 75	4 92
Converse, Samuel	3-5-21	50 00	4 94	2 02	1 75	5 21
Cram, Edward	3-9-26	50 00	4 28	2 00	1 75	4 53
Crosby, Rosetta & B. W.	5-21-23	50 00	4 25	2 00	1 75	4 50
Diamond, George F.	3-14-33	75 00	6 61	3 01	2 50	7 12
Dodge, Albert J. (Village)	3-9-26	75 00	6 43	3 00	2 50	6 93
Dodge, Albert J. (Pine Hill)	3-9-26	75 00	6 02	2 98	2 50	6 50
	3-13-56					



Dustan, George	3-14-20	125 00	6 17	4 72	2 00	8 89
Fairbanks, Frank H.	4-2-21	50 00	4 31	2 00	1 75	4 56
Felt, Jonathan	2-9-13	50 00	4 11	1 99	1 75	4 35
Field, Franklin	3-11-16	50 00	4 36	2 00	1 75	4 61
Foote, George H.	12-28-12	50 00	4 31	2 00	1 75	4 56
Fuller, Eliza C.	4-2-10	50 00	4 75	2 01	1 75	5 01
Fuller, G. W.	10-21-16	50 00	4 45	2 00	1 75	4 70
Gates, Samuel & John	2-19-16	50 00	4 53	2 00	1 75	4 78
Goodwin, Nelson	2-9-17	50 00	4 32	2 00	1 75	4 57
Gray, William	5-1-91	50 00	4 31	2 01	1 75	4 57
Greenfield, Bethia	11-18-16	25 00	3 41	1 07	1 00	3 48
Hadley, John A.	4-1-15	50 00	4 80	2 02	1 75	5 07
Hall, Thomas	3-2-35	50 00	5 34	2 04	1 75	5 63
Hayward, Walker J.	8-10-15	75 00	6 84	3 01	2 50	7 35
Hersey, Howard H.	1-28-15	75 00	6 65	2 99	2 50	7 14
Holt, Algernon L.	3-3-34	50 00	4 45	2 00	1 75	4 70
Holt, Emma	3-13-44	50 00	4 29	2 00	1 75	4 54
Holt, John W.	3-31-24	50 00	4 78	2 02	1 75	5 05
Holt, Lorenzo	12-3-04	50 00	11 60	2 31	1 75	12 16
Hutchinson, Orinda S.	5-13-11	50 03	4 75	2 01	1 75	5 01
Jacquith, Edwin C.	2-25-25	75 00	6 90	3 02	2 50	7 42
Jewitt-Willard	3-11-41	50 00	18 54	2 63		21 17
Lee, Susan R.	10-19-01	25 00	3 42	1 07	1 00	3 49
Levey, Thirza E.	3-1-21	75 00	7 80	3 05	2 50	8 35
Little-Field Fund	2-28-22	50 00	4 64	2 00	1 75	4 89
Lopes, Antonio	2-27-30	25 00	4 08	1 10	1 00	4 18
Mahan, Dallas P.	6-4-10	50 00	4 25	1 99	1 75	4 49
Mears, Almeda S.	9-7-33	50 00	4 49	2 00	1 75	4 74
Mears, Almeda S.	9-7-33	50 00	4 48	2 00	1 75	4 73
Moore, Charles & Hattie	3-8-38	75 00	6 45	2 98	2 50	6 93
McLaughlin, Frank J.	1-16-17	50 00	4 21	1 99	1 75	4 45
Nichols, Emily F.	12-29-24	25 00	3 43	1 07	1 00	3 50
Nutting, Oliver L.	5-26-00	50 00	4 41	2 00	1 75	4 66
Parker, Mary F.	3-30-17	50 00	3 91	1 98	1 75	4 14
Robbe, Mrs. Frank A.	12-29-23	50 00	4 38	2 00	1 75	4 63
Robbins-Vinall Fund	3-9-26	50 00	4 59	2 00	1 75	4 84
Sanders, J. E. & Sarah	7-19-22	25 00	3 57	1 07	1 00	3 64
Scott, Lucinda	8-20-23	75 00	6 04	2 98	2 50	6 52
Smith, A. F.	3-2-24	50 00	4 22	1 99	1 75	4 46
Smith, Mary S.	11-8-23	50 00	3 96	1 98	1 75	4 19
Smith, Monroe A. & Ethel C.	5-31-29	50 00	4 29	1 99	1 75	4 53
Smith, William	3-1-21	50 03	4 02	1 98	1 75	4 25
Stacy, Thomas	8-7-11	50 03	4 33	2 00	1 75	4 58
Tarbell, Fred A.	2-14-12	50 00	4 09	1 98	1 75	4 32
Thayer, Elihu	3-10-08	50 03	3 99	1 99	1 75	4 23
Townsend, Josephine C.	5-21-23	50 03	4 23	1 99	1 75	4 47
	8-18-19					
Upton, Joseph	3-13-45	75 00	5 38	2 95	2 50	5 83
Winch, Thomas D.	4-4-33	75 00	6 32	2 99	2 50	6 81

TOTALS \$3,850 00 \$380 27 \$155 87 \$127 25 \$408 89

As permitted under the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, as amended, Chapter 31, Section 27, the foregoing Trust Funds are combined in a Common Trust for the purpose of investment only.

#### Common Trust "C" Invested as Follows:

##### Principal and Income Account

##### Peterborough Savings Bank

Book No. 27451 \$1,560 44 \$380 27 \$69 62 \$127 25 \$408 89

\$1000

##### General Motors Acceptance Corp.

3 5/8%, Due 9-1-75 M110940 982 50 \*36 25

125 Shares Note "E" Part of C30718

Union Pacific R R Co. 4%

Pref. P40520 1,307 06 \*50 00

TOTALS \$3,850 00 \$380 27 \$155 87 \$127 25 \$408 89

\*Income credited to Book No. 27451 as received.

Note "E" Bought 25 Shares Union Pacific Pref. 2/23/56. Stock split 5 for 1 7/2/56.

Unrealized Loss on Bonds and Stock \$324.56

#### Cemetery Funds in Peterborough Savings Bank

##### Book Number

Burke, Nora Flynn	27452	3-19-20	\$100 00	\$6 65	\$3 75	\$10 40
Smith, Mary	27453	3-4-24	50 00	3 31	1 87	5 18
Robbe, Alice E	28492	3-13-56	150 00		4 05	\$4 05

(Addition to Helen S. Robbe Fund--Common Trust "A")

TOTALS \$300 00 \$9 96 \$9 67 \$19 63



## Cemetery Funds Received for Acceptance at 1957 Town Meeting:

	Book Number	
Frank & Adella E. Belcher Fund	28965	\$150 00
Hersey-Blackwood-Edmunds Fund	28930	250 00
C. M. Sawtelle Fund	28919	200 00
Taggart-Beverstock Fund	28959	150 00
Fred Waite Family Fund	28808	150 00
Totals		\$900 00

## Cemetery Funds in Amoskeag Savings Bank

	Book No.					
Alexander, E. W.	136445	2-17-19				
Nichols, Thomas S.	133629	3-14-50	\$100 00	\$4 94	\$3 41	\$3 00
Nichols, Wm. K.	133628	7-29-18	150 00	7 68	5 15	4 00
Parker, John E.	65935	7-29-18	75 00	5 80	2 63	2 00
Pierce, Joseph B.	132546	12-3-98	100 00	13 70	3 71	3 00
Snow, Myrtie B.	136447	4-1-18	75 00	5 84	2 63	2 00
Vose, Samuel W.	136446	3-11-19	100 00	5 37	3 45	3 00
Washburn, Henry	65913	3-28-19	100 00	6 24	3 46	3 00
		11-30-98	250 00	294 94	17 83	8 00
TOTALS			\$950 00	\$344 51	\$42 27	\$28 00

## Cemetery Funds in Manchester Savings Bank

	Book No.					
Richardson, Chas. P.	65682	3-8-28	\$200 00	\$270 33	\$15 39	\$4 00
Treadwell, Jane	67281	11-26-98	100 00	20 35	3 93	4 00
White, W. F.	65683	3-28-94	100 00	9 86	3 57	3 50
Winn, B. L.	65681	3-28-94	100 00	35 92	4 43	4 00
TOTALS			\$500 00	\$336 46	\$27 32	\$15 50

## Cemetery Funds in New Hampshire Savings Bank

	Book No.					
Brackett, Lucretia	41668	3-28-98	\$300 00	\$125 03	\$13 38	\$4 00
Johnson, Lewis	41667	3-28-98	50 00	4 24	1 70	1 50
Noone, Joseph	74512	3-12-18	200 00	29 19	7 21	4 00
Oliver, Moses	42267	11-21-98	100 00	12 88	3 53	3 00
Peasley, Alice M.	74513	3-9-18	50 00	4 03	1 69	1 50
Pickup, Ann	74514	3-12-18	50 00	4 02	1 69	1 50
Upton, Jesse	41666	3-28-98	200 00	325 17	16 54	4 00
TOTALS			\$950 00	\$504 56	\$45 74	\$19 50

## Summary of Cemetery Funds:

Funds in Common Trust "A"	\$40,036 90	\$5,185 92	\$1,883 95	\$734 75	\$6,335 12
Funds in Common Trust "B"	17,725 00	1,467 85	844 70	688 00	1,624 55
Funds in Common Trust "C"	3,850 00	380 27	155 87	127 25	408 89
Funds in Peterborough Savings Bank	300 00	9 96	9 67		19 63
Funds in Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H.	950 00	344 51	42 27	28 00	358 78
Funds in Manchester Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H.	500 00	336 46	27 32	15 50	348 28
Funds in N. H. Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	950 00	504 56	45 74	19 50	530 80
TOTALS	\$64,311 90	\$8,229 53	\$3,009 52	\$1,613 00	\$9,626 05

## Common Trust "D":

John Q. Adams Fund					
Worthy Poor	7-19-22	\$740 00	\$27 05	\$27 05	
Edith Bird Bass Fund					
School	12-13-55	5,000 00	182 26		182 26
Andrew Carnegie Fund					
Library Maintenance	5-23-12	6,197 56	227 21	227 21	
Henry French Fund					
Library Maintenance	5-23-12	300 00	10 99	10 99	
Almon T. Hovey Fund					
Worthy Poor	3-9-26	1,000 00	36 39	36 39	
Susan Livingston Fund					
Library Maintenance	7-1-05	300 00	10 99	10 99	
Robert S. Morison					
Books—Library	7-1-26	1,000 00	36 39	36 39	
Adelbert M. Nichols School	3-11-31	10,065 30	311 08	380 37	691 45
Osgood Fund—Worthy Poor	7-21-68	1,000 00	36 39	36 39	
Malinda Upton Fund					
Worthy Poor	3-28-01	1,171 17	42 67	42 67	

Henry Washburn Fund						
Library Maintenance	11-30-98	250 00	15 76	13 43	29 19	
Harriet E. Wilson Fund						
Scholarship	1-30-47	3,000 00	149 87	112 52	125 00	137 39
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>\$30,024 03</b>	<b>\$476 71</b>	<b>\$1,116 66</b>	<b>\$582 27</b>	<b>\$1,011 10</b>

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**Common Trust "D" Invested as Follows:**

	Book No.					
Peterborough Savings Bank						
Principal Account	28456	\$17,848 81		*\$644 96		
Peterborough Savings Bank						
Income Account	28455		476 71	31 70	582 27	1,011 10
\$1000						
U. S. "G" Bond						
Due 11-1-57	4077290G	1,000 00		*25 00		
\$2000	4G-12324					
Prov. of Nova Scotia 3OE%						
Due 10-1-71	4G-12333	1,931 60		*75 00		
\$2000						
General Motors Acceptance Corp.						
3 5/8%, Due 9-1-75 M110941/2		1,965 00		*72 50		
99 Shares Note "F" 016458; 042240						
Chemical Corn Exchange						
Bank, N. Y.	054272	4,724 00		*192 50		
250 Shares Note "G" Part of C30718						
Union Pacific RR Co. 4%						
Pref. & C31304, P40521/22		2,554 62		*75 00		
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>\$30,024 03</b>	<b>\$476 71</b>	<b>\$1,116 66</b>	<b>\$582 27</b>	<b>\$1,011 10</b>

\*Income credited to Book No. 28455 as received.

Note "F"—1/31/56 rec'd and exercised 88 rts to buy 11 shares at \$44.

Note "G"—2/23/56 Bought 25 shares 6/25/56 bought 25 shares 7/2/55 Stock split 5 for 1.

Unrealized Loss on Stocks and Bonds. \$784.60.

**Common Trust "E":**

**Hospital Funds:**

Edwin H. Taylor Fund	Sept, 1925	\$10,045 80		\$475 49	\$475 49
Emigene L. Taylor Fund	Sept, 1925	41,245 55		1,838 34	1,838 34
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>\$51,291 35</b>		<b>\$2,313 83</b>	<b>\$2,313 83</b>

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**Common Trust "E" Invested as Follows:**

	Book Number					
Peterborough Savings Bank						
Principal Account	28454	\$18,081 97		\$662 38	\$2,313 83	
\$1000						
Prov. of British Columbia						
3 1/2%, Due 8-15-76	KD 6829	975 50		*35 00		
\$2000						
Dom. of Canada 3%						
Due 6-1-60	E225713/4	1,915 00		*61 25		
\$3000						
Prov. of Nova Scotia 3 3/4%						
Due 10-1-71	4G-12330/32	2,897 40		*112 50		
\$1000						
Am Tel. & Tel. Co. 2 3/4%						
Due 10-1-75	92-111	1,000 00		*27 50		
\$5000						
J. I. Case Co. 3 1/2%						
Due 2-1-78	M22885/89	4,950 00		*175 00		
\$1000						
Commonwealth Edison Co. 3%						
Due 2-1-77	36189	1,000 00		*30 00		
\$3000						
Pacific Gas & Electric Co.	M4341					
3% Due 12-1-79	M1512/13	2,966 70		*90 00		
20 Shares						
Arizona Pub. Service Co.						
\$2.50 Pref.	DO327	1,000 00		*50 00		
10 Shares						
Atlantic Ref. Co. 3.75%						
Pref.	TNB-2071	1,000 00		*37 52		
20 Shares	Part of NP0341					
Public Service Co. of H. N.						
3.85% Pref.	NP06315	1,900 00		*67 00		

250 Shares Note "H" Part of C30718 Union Pacific RR Co. 4% & C31304; Pref. P4052 3/4	2,554 62	*75 00
26 Shares Note "I" BA12472; Am Tel. & Tel. Co. BJ8485; X564643; N507385; N579868	3,280 10	*230 21
25 Shares Merchants Nat'l Bank, Boston 19552	1,106 25	*45 00
54 Shares B19467; B31526 N. H. Fire Ins. Co. B36276; B41708	2,024 60	*108 00
126 Shares HO8495; HO56455 United Fruit HO188589	3,058 75	*378 00
321 Shares Note "J" 358681; M112089 Mass. Investors Trust M314629; M221446; M432407; M578749 M657601; M878076	1,580 46	*129 47
12 Shares Note "K" Nashua Corp. NC1510/11		

TOTALS	\$51,291 35	\$2,313 83	\$2,313 83
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\*Income credited to Book No. 28454 as received.

Note "H"—2/23/56 Bought 25 shares. 6/25/56 bought 25 shares. 7/2/56 stock split 5 for 1.

Note "I"—I've'd 10/19/56 and sold 26 rts at 6.47. \$133.38 allocated to reduction of book value and \$34.84 allocated as capital gain and added to principal cash a/c.

Note "J"—1/20/56 Rec'd capital gains dividend—2 shares and 22.96 in cash. \$22.96 added to principal cash and 2 shares at 32.62 added to book value of stock. 6/29/56 Stock split 3 for 1.

Note "K"—Sold 12 shares at 69 1/2. \$459 capital gain.

Unrealized gain on stocks and bonds \$2,441.15.

#### Eben W. Jones Library Fund

##### \*INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

\$2000 Prov. of British Columbia 3 1/2% Due 8-15-76 KD6827 28	\$1,951 00	\$70 00
\$3000 Dominion of Canada 3% Due 6-1-60 E225710/12	2,872 50	91 87
\$1000 Blackstone Valley Gas & Elec 3% Due 11-1-73 1227	1,000 00	30 00
\$2000 Commonwealth Edison Co. 3% Due 2 1-77 36187/88	2,000 00	60 00
\$2000 Public Service Co. of N. H. 3 1/4% Due 1-1-73 3807/08	2,000 00	65 00
\$2000 N. Indiana Pub Service Co. 3 1/8% Due 8-1-73 M8459/60	2,000 00	62 50
\$1000 Southern Calif. Edison Co. 3% Due 9-1-65 106261	1,000 00	30 00
\$5000 U. S. Savings "G" Bond 2 1/2% Due 7-1-57 N613149G	5,000 00	125 00
\$1000 U. S. Savings "G" Bond 2 1/2% Due 11-1-57 M4077291G	1,000 00	25 00
10 Shares Atlantic Ref. Co. Pref. \$3.75 TNBO 2072	1,000 00	37 49
10 Shares J. I. Case Co. Pref 7% NP-02201	1,158 75	70 00
30 Shares Central Maine Power Co. Pref \$3.50 PO 6087	3,000 00	105 00
14 Shares N. E. Power Co. Pref \$6.00 B27533	2,043 00	84 00
40 Shares Pub. Serv. Co. of N. H. Pref \$3.35 NPO 341	3,840 00	134 00
25 Shares Southern Calif Edison Co. Pref 5% L0180	1,164 50	60 00
250 Shares Note "L" Part of C31304 Union Pacific RR Co. Pref 4% P40517/18	2,495 13	50 00
10 Shares Note "M"		



U. S. Steel Corp. Pref \$7.00 C 828577	1,248	75	70	00
30 Shares E197293				
Bankers Tr. Co., N. Y. E219718	1,375	00	84	00
87 Shares Note "X" F26358;				
Chemical Corn Exch. Bk,				
N. Y. 042036; 063928	2,207	95	169	00
27 Shares 190474;				
First Nat'l Bk., Boston 306046; 325198	1,119	09	76	95
15 Shares				
First Nat'l Bank,				
Peterborough 804	1,800	00	60	00
75 Shares Note "O"				
Irving Tr. Co., N. Y. A O 124084	871	87	127	50
100 Shares Note "P" 0168914				
Manf. Tr. Co., N. Y. X024794	3,937	50	171	25
24 Shares Note "Q"				
Nashua Trust Co. B81	792	00	96	00
50 Shares				
Nat'l Shawmut Bk., Boston 37245	1,181	25	105	00
50 Shares				
Pullman Incorporated NF272953	1,325	00	200	00
60.9 Shares Note "R" N095073;				
Gulf Oil Corp B041367; B099598;				
B0174999	2,222	62	145	00
B0281121; B0393243				
B0524751				
104 Shares Note "S" NY C721369;				
Standard Oil Co. of Calif				
SF/C884546; SF C131078	3,726	98	171	60
143 Shares Note "T" B145423;				
Am Tel & Tel Co. X564644;				
XX81307; AB67107; AD26160	20,601	03	1,266	77
\$2000 Note "U"				
U. S. Savings "G" Bond				
2 1/2% Due 2-1-56 M2389364 5G			25	00
\$2000 Note "V"				
U. S. Savings "G" Bond				
2 1/2% Due 6-1-56 M2990756 7G			25	00
1 Share Note "W"				
Atlantic Ice Mfg. Co. CL1459				
100 Shares Note "X"				
Nashua Corp NC1504 09				
300 Shares Note "Y"				
United Fruit J32293; J77690 1			900	00
75 Shares Note "Z" B35751;				
N. H. Fire Ins. Co. B38713; B41719			150	00
"Principal Cash Account"				
Book No.				
Peterborough Sav. Bank 21977	7,012	08	197	67
"Income Account for Building"				
Peterborough Sav. Bank 21978			1,064	43
"Income Account for Maintenance"				
Peterborough Sav. Bank 21979			72	57
"Profit and Loss Account—Securities"				
Peterborough Sav. Bank 21990	6,422	26	188	32
GROSS EARNED INCOME	\$89,368	26	\$6,465	92

## INCOME DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Building Income Account	\$32,815	77	\$3,232	96	\$24,012	31	\$12,036	42
Maintenance Income Account	3,135	93	3,232	96	3,135	93	3,232	96

TOTALS \$89,368 26 \$35,951 70 \$6,465 92 \$27,148 24 \$15,269 38

Note "L"—6/25/56 purchased 50 shares 7/2/56 stock split 5 for 1.

Note "M"—1/30/56 book value increased 248.75 by vote of Trustees and added to Building Income Account. This replaces book value reduction of 1/25/43 against this account.

Note "N"—2/1/56 Rec'd and exercised 77 rights and bought 3 additional rights (\$2.10) to subscribe to 10 shares at 44.30.

Note "O"—1/30/56 book value increased \$121.87 by vote of trustees and added to Building Income Account. This rescinds book value reduction of 1/25/43 against this account.

Note "P"—1/18/56 Stock split 2 for 1.

Note "Q"—1/30/56 book value increased \$192.00 by vote of Trustees and added to Building Income Account. This rescinds book value reduction of 1/25/43 against this account.

Note "R"—12/12/56 Rec'd 5% stock dividend—2 shares and 90/100 share in script.

Note "S"—2/1/56 rec'd proceeds of \$45.61 on sale of 50/100 fractional share. Book value of stock reduced. 5/21/56 stock split 2 for 1.

Note "T"—1/30/56 book value increased \$525.00 by vote of Trustees and added to Building Income Account. This rescinds book value reduction of 1/25/44 against this account.

Note "U"—Bond matured 2/1/56. Proceeds added to Principal Cash Account.

Note "V"—Bond matured 6/1/56. Proceeds added to Principal Cash Account.

Note "W"—Sold for \$1.00. \$.10 added to Principal Cash Account and \$.90 added to Profit and Loss Account.

Note "X"—1/6/56 sold 40 shares at 68. \$1,233.00 added to Principal Cash Account and Capital Gain of \$1486.88 added to Profit and Loss Account. 2/1/56 sold 60 shares at 69 1/2. \$1,020.00 added to Principal Cash Account and Capital Gain of \$3,149.76 added to Profit and Loss Account.

Note "Y"—Sold 300 shares at 46 1/4. Proceeds of \$13,729.88 (Includes Capital Gain of \$6,742.38) paid to Library Trustees for Building Addition.

Note "Z"—11/20/56 Sold 75 shares at 38. Proceeds of \$2,822.27 (includes Capital Loss of \$331.50) paid to Library Trustees for Building addition.

#### ALBERT W. NOONE TRUST

Income Only Received from Trustee			
Peterborough Sav. Bank Book No. 23146	\$5,981 87	\$1,402 06	\$7,383 93

#### CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

	Principal 12-31-55	Additions During Year	Expenditures During Year	Principal 12-31-56			
Peter. Sav. Bk. Book No. 23091							
Water Dept.							
Sinking Fd. \$23,298 90	\$3,430 30		\$26,729 20	\$4,296 57	\$974 23	\$5,270 80	
Peter. Sav. Bk. Book No. 26846							
Police Dept.							
Reserve Fd. 750 00	450 00	875 00	325 00	59 60	20 59	80 19	
Peter. Sav. Bk. Book No. 26847							
Fire Dept.							
Reserve Fd. 6,075 00	2,025 00		8,100 00	405 50	266 74	672 24	
Peter. Sav. Bk. Book No. 26848							
Highway Dept.							
Reserve Fd. 15,075 00	5,025 00	7,425 21	12,674 79	1,006 22	522 73	1,528 95	
Union Street Sidewalk Res. Fund:							
Peter. Co-op							
Bk Book No.							
SS-586	2,500 00						
Peter. Sav. Bk.							
Book No.							
27529	5,000 00						
	\$7,500 00		7,500 00	279 15	261 75	540 90	
Town Road Apportionment "B"							
Manchester Sav.							
Bk Book No.							
207094	5,586 80	3,053 20	2,533 60	90 77	136 39	227 16	
<b>TOTALS</b>	\$58,285 70	\$10,930 30	\$11,353 41	\$57,862 59	\$6,137 81	\$2,182 43	\$8,320 24

#### SUMMARY:

Cemetery Funds	\$64,311 90	\$8,229 53	\$3,009 52	\$1,613 00	\$9,626 05
Noone Trust Income Fund		5,981 87	1,402 06		7,383 93
Edith Bird Bass Fund	5,000 00		182 26		182 26
Nichols School Fund	10,065 30	311 08	380 37		691 45
Wilson Scholarship Fund	3,000 00	149 87	112 52	125 00	137 39
Hospital Funds	51,291 35		2,313 83	2,313 83	
Town Library Funds	97,415 82	35,967 46	6,764 93	27,463 01	15,269 38
Worthy Poor Funds	3,911 17		142 50	142 50	
Capital Reserve Funds	57,862 59	6,137 81	2,182 43		8,320 24
<b>TOTALS</b>	\$292,858 13	\$56,777 62	\$16,490 42	\$31,657 34	\$41,610 70

#### EXPENDITURES FROM INCOME:

<b>From Cemetery Funds:</b>		
Paid to Cemetery Trustees	\$1,613 00	
<b>From Wilson Scholarship Fund:</b>		
Paid to Miss Janice M. Dolan	125 00	
<b>From Worthy Poor Funds:</b>		
Paid to Selectmen	142 50	
<b>From Hospital Funds:</b>		
Paid to Treas. Monadnock Community Hospital	2,313 83	
<b>From Town Library Funds:</b>		
Paid to Library Trustees:		
For Library Maintenance	3,450 70	
For New Building Addition		23,608 46
For Building Improvements	403 85	
<b>TOTALS</b>	\$31,657 34	



## EXPENDITURES FROM CAPITAL:

<b>From Eben W. Jones Library Fund</b>	
Paid to Library Trustees for New Building Addition	16,552 15
<b>From Police Dept. Reserve Fund</b>	
Paid to Selectmen for new police cruiser	875 00
<b>From Highway Dept. Reserve Fund</b>	
Paid to Selectmen for new loader	7,425 21
<b>From Town Road Apportionment "B" Fund</b>	
Paid to Selectmen	3,053 20
<b>TOTALS</b>	<u>\$27,905 56</u>

We, hereby certify that the information contained in the foregoing Report of the Trustees of Trust Funds, Town of Peterborough, N. H., Pages 1 through 18, is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

GEORGE A. MORISON  
WILLIAM L. MACDONALD  
CHARLES T. HEATER

Trustees of the Trust Funds

January 16, 1957

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Peterborough, N. H., hereby certify that we have carefully examined the foregoing Report of the Trustees of Trust Funds, pages 1 through 18, and found it correctly cast and properly vouched.

KENNETH B. CHANDLER  
ERVIN F. DIAMOND  
FRED E. MURRAY

Auditors

## REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES, DEC. 31, 1956

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1955	\$1,025 76
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## Receipts:

Trustees of Trust Funds, Perpetual Care Funds, 1956 Appropriation	5,329 50
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## Bookkeeper:

Annual Care of Lots	\$750 00
Interments	696 00
Grading and Restoration	484 00
Foundations & Miscellaneous work	170 50

Total Receipts and cash on hand	\$8,455 76
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## Payments:

John M. Ramsey	\$2,410 00
Earl W. Wyman	1,245 00
Richard W. Parkhurst	498 14
Christine Sanborn	416 00
Earl F. Wheeler	81 25
Norman P. Chamberlain	166 26
George H. Burbank	433 75

	\$5,250 40
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## Supplies and Expenses:

John M. Ramsey, truck hire	\$431 00
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights	21 00
Peterborough Hardware Co., Inc., supplies	31 27
C. F. Johnson, loam & special work	236 50
O. B. Peirce Co., Inc., repair pipe	10 23
Graves Elec. Motor Shop, repair mowers	10 00
Francis Boutwell, repair trimmers	5 00
Homer C. Paradise, plowing	17 50
Alfred Soucia, repair mower	12 00
John Zanga, mason work	111 90
Harris Const. Co., Inc., supplies	112 30
Lambert Motors, Inc., gas and oil	\$72 43
First National Bank, check tax	6 50
Martin J. Keenan Ins. Agency, Ins.	40 15
N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare, OASI Fund, admin. costs	2 52
Treasurer, State of N. H., Social Sec.	104 93
Merrimack Farmers' Exch., Inc., supplies	86 54
Santerre's Garage, Inc., welding	4 00
Peterborough Water Dept.	50 00

Martin J. Keenan, Postmaster, sup.	18 93	
Monadnock Lumber Co., supplies	7 75	
	<hr/>	\$1,392 45
Total Expenditures		<hr/> \$6,642 85
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1956		\$1,812 91

ARTHUR E. WHEELER  
 FREDERICK P. KOALLICK  
 E. BENJAMIN ARMSTRONG  
 Cemetery Trustees

# REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PETERBOROUGH TOWN LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1956

Balance on hand as of Jan. 1, 1956: \$1,337 82

## Received:

Town of Peterborough	\$ 4,000 00	
Eben Jones Building Fund	40,564 46	
Eben Jones Maintenance Fund	3,135 93	
Carnegie Fund	227 21	
French Fund	10 99	
Hamilton Fund	36 83	
Livingston Fund	10 99	
Morison Fund	36 39	
Richardson Fund	30 45	
Scott Fund	226 04	
Smith Fund	1,180 56	
Special Fund	17 51	
Washburn Fund	29 19	
Weston Fund	5 29	
Wilson Fund	30 94	
		\$49,542 78
		\$50,880 60

## Paid:

Addition to Building	\$40,564 46	
Salaries	5,399 92	
Heat, light, water, telephone	845 44	
Maintenance and repairs	394 00	
Bindings, supplies & equipment	654 07	
Insurance	314 00	
Taxes and miscellaneous	857 70	
Bookkeeper's allowance	150 00	
		\$49,179 59
Balance on hand as of Dec. 31, 1956		\$1,701 01

## GEORGE A. HAMILTON FUND

Peterborough Savings Bank \$1,052 38

## AMANDA RICHARDSON FUND

Peterborough Savings Bank \$870 99

## GEORGIANA CARTER FUND

Peterborough Savings Bank \$500 00

## SPECIAL FUND

Peterborough Savings Bank	\$500 00
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## OLA MYHAVER FUND

Peterborough Savings Bank	\$500 00
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## D. F. MCGILVARY FUND

Peterborough Savings Bank	\$7,838 53
73 shs. American Tel. & Tel. Co.	7,271 09
25 shs. Anaconda Copper Co.	1,256 00
25 shs. Bankers Trust Co.	950 63
28 shs. Boston Edison Co.	1,101 41
9 shs. Pennichuck Water Works	900 00
100 shs. Reece Corp.	500 00
25 shs. U. S. Steel, Pfd.	2,500 00
84 shs. U. S. Steel, common	1,400 00
1M Texas & Pacific RR 3 7/8's of 1985	991 25
2M U. S. Treas. 2 1/2's of 1965/70	2,000 00
1M U. S. Treas. 2 1/2's of 1967/72	1,005 63

Total Invested Principal	\$27,723 54
Uninvested Principal	2 72

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Total Inventory	\$27,726 26
Balance of Income as of Jan. 1, 1956:	\$717 62

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Received:

Dividends:

American Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$594 00	
Anaconda Copper Co.	125 00	
Bankers Trust Co.	70 00	
Boston Edison Co.	78 40	
Pennichuck Water Works	63 00	
Reece Corporation	110 00	
U. S. Steel, Pfd.	175 00	
U. S. Steel, common	218 40	
		\$1,433 80

Interest:

Peterborough Savings Bank	256 48	
Texas & Pacific 3 7/8's of '85	38 75	
U. S. Treas. 2 1/2's of '65/'70	50 00	
U. S. Treas. 2 1/2's of '67/'72	25 00	
		\$370 23
		\$2,521 65



Expenditures:	
Books, magazines, periodicals, etc.	\$2,115 31
Balance of Income as of Dec. 31, 1956	\$406 34

LINCOLN R. LOUNSBURY  
HAZEL N. GOYETTE  
MARSHALL P. WILDER  
Trustees, Town Library

### JAMES SMITH FUND

Amount of Fund January 1, 1956

Manchester Savings Bank 111593	\$4,593 02	
Peterborough Savings Bank 12645	9,287 63	
Peterborough Savings Bank 24674	300 00	
Peterborough Savings Bank 27783	27 67	
25 shs. F. W. Woolworth Co., Com.	1,093 93	
30 shs. Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co., Com.	4,415 04	
27 shs. Gulf Oil Corp., Com.	1,004 99	
10 shs. Hershey Choc. Corp., Com.	694 68	
10 shs. Hershey Choc. Corp., Cum. pfd., A 4¼%		
5 shs. Int. Harvester Co., 7% pfd.	829 13	
5 shs. P. Lorillard Co., 7% pfd.	741 63	
5 shs. Nat'l Biscuit Co., 7% pfd.	831 63	
10 shs. N. E. Pow. Co., 6% pfd.	1,330 00	
10 shs. Boston Edison Co., Com.	557 52	
15 shs. Phila. Elec. Co., Com.	585 51	
1M Prov. of Nova Scotia 3¾% due July 15, 1966	1,018 13	
		\$27,310 51

### INCOME

Manchester Savings Bank	\$149 28	
Peterborough Savings Bank	348 49	
Coupon int. & dividends from securities	739 26	
		\$1,237 03
		\$28,547 54

### EXPENDITURES

Paid Library Trustees	\$1,180 56	
Paid Bookkeeper	25 00	
		\$1,205 56

Balance December 31, 1956 as per Inventory below:

Manchester Savings Bank 111593	\$4,593 02	
Peterborough Savings Bank 12645	8,994 43	
Peterborough Savings Bank 24674	330 50	
Peterborough Savings Bank 27783	28 64	
25 shs. F. W. Woolworth Co., Com.	1,093 93	
33 shs. Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co., Com.	4,715 04	
29 40/100 shs. Gulf Oil Corp., Com.	998 19	
10 shs. Hershey Choc. Corp., Com.		
10 shs. Hershey Choc. Corp., Cum. pfd., A 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	694 68	
5 shs. Int. Harvester Co., 7% pfd.	829 13	
5 shs. P. Lorillard Co., 7% pfd.	741 63	
5 shs. Nat'l Biscuit Co., 7% pfd.	831 63	
10 shs. N. E. Power Co., 6% pfd.	1,330 00	
10 shs. Boston Edison Co., Com.	557 52	
15 shs. Phila. Elec. Co., Com.	585 51	
1M Prov. of Nova Scotia 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ % due July 15, 1966	1,018 13	
	<hr/>	\$27,341 98
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		\$28,547 54

CHARLES M. CUMMINGS  
LINCOLN R. LOUNSBURY  
MARGARET A. CLEMENT

Trustees

I, the undersigned auditor of the James Smith Fund, hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing report of the James Smith Fund, and found it correctly cast and properly vouched.

KENNETH B. CHANDLER

Date, January 21, 1957

Auditor

### JENNIE S. SCOTT FUND

Inventory January 1, 1956:

Peterborough Savings Bank 26700	\$2,740 39	
Peterborough Savings Bank 26892	5 00	
12 shs. F. W. Woolworth Co., Com.	525 22	
5 shs. J. C. Penney Co., Com.	338 28	
12 shs. Nashua Corp., Com. "A"	468 65	
12 shs. Nashua Corp., Com. "B"		
6 shs. American Tel. & Tel. Co., Com.	927 46	
	<hr/>	\$5,005 00

## INCOME:

Peterborough Savings Bank	\$98 79	
Dividends from securities	139 75	
	<hr/>	\$238 54
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		\$5,243 54

## EXPENDITURES:

Paid Library Trustees	\$226 04	
Paid Bookkeeper	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$231 04

Balance December 31, 1956 as per Inventory below:

Peterborough Savings Bank 26700	\$2,781 67	
Peterborough Savings Bank 26892	12 50	
12 shs. F. W. Woolworth Co., Com.	525 22	
5 shs. J. C. Penney Co., Com.	338 28	
12 shs. Nashua Corp., Com. "A"	468 65	
12 shs. Nashua Corp., Com. "B"		
6 shs. American Tel. & Tel. Co., Com.	886 18	
	<hr/>	\$5,012 50
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		\$5,243 54

CHARLES M. CUMMINGS  
LINCOLN R. LOUNSBURY  
MARGARET A. CLEMENT  
Trustees

I, the undersigned auditor of the Jennie S. Scott Fund, hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing report of the Jennie S. Scott Fund, and found it correctly cast and properly vouched.

KENNETH B. CHANDLER

Date, January 21, 1957

Auditor

## WESTON MEMORIAL FUND

Amount of fund, Jan. 1, 1956	\$150 00	
Income from Peterborough Sav. Bank	5 29	
	<hr/>	\$155 29
Paid Library Trustees	\$5 29	
Bal. in Peterborough Sav. Bank,		
Dec. 31, 1956	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$155 29

CHARLES M. CUMMINGS

LINCOLN R. LOUNSBURY

MARGARET A. CLEMENT

Trustees

I, the undersigned auditor of the Weston Memorial Fund, hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing report of the Weston Memorial Fund, and found it correctly cast and properly vouched.

KENNETH B. CHANDLER

Date, January 21, 1957

Auditor

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AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the accounts of all Town Officers, Committees and others having charge of moneys for the year ending December 31, 1956, as required by law, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

KENNETH B. CHANDLER

ERVIN F. DIAMOND

FRED E. MURRAY

February 18, 1957

Auditors

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR THE PETERBOROUGH TOWN LIBRARY

To the Trustees of the Peterborough Town Library:

With a magnificent sense of accomplishment concerning the library year of 1956, and with materializing objectives for 1957, we present the annual Librarian's Report:

The town of Peterborough had a red-letter day on December 8, 1955, although only four persons were aware of this. This was the day when the trustees and the librarian huddled around the grumbling, belching furnace in the boiler room of the Peterborough Town Library and discussed the addition of an annex to be constructed with funds provided by the will of Mr. Eben Wilson Jones, selectman, and trustee of the Peterborough Town Library for 50 years. On January 9, 1956, the group met with Mr. John R. Holbrook architect, of Keene, who assisted with blueprints based on the trustees' plans. In July, 1956, T. H. and E. J. Bergeron, contractors, of Keene, commenced the erection of the annex. At the present writing, the interior is incomplete, but facilities will soon be available for an adult reading room, librarian's office, smoking room, and two completely secluded carrells.

We now have the institution or the building, and within a very near future, we shall be prepared to serve the town in a more extensive manner than we have done in the past.

Playwright William McCleery has contributed the following concerning our library:

"Somebody once suggested that the following legend be inscribed over the entrance to a college library building: 'This is not the library. The library is inside.' As one who has spent a good deal of time inside the Peterborough Town Library, and would hardly be able to ply his trade here without it, the contents of that beautiful ivy-covered brick building are surprisingly extensive, varied, and up-to-date, and the service is remarkably unbureaucratic."

Volumes in library, December 1955	27,626
Volumes purchased	898
Gift volumes	252
Volumes in library, December, 1956	28,776
Periodicals purchased	55
Gift periodicals	10
Art reproductions	35
Pamphlets	108
Pictures circulated	458
Picture puzzles circulated	123
Reading material borrowed from New Hampshire State Library, Library of Congress, and other sources	410
Books rebound	512



1956 registration	346
Reading room attendance	8,345
Volumes circulated	38,552

Probably due to the highly-paced world in which we are living or racing, it is often difficult and expensive to obtain volumes on some of the most recent political, social, psychological developments. Periodicals do satisfy this need to some extent, but librarians are also taking advantage of pamphlets which quite often may be obtained free or purchased for a few cents. Although they may not be quite so reliable as an article from the encyclopedia, they do serve our needs when occasion demands. We have, therefore, organized a pamphlet service covering such sundry topics as "A New Constitution for New Hampshire," "Your Social Security," "Building Your Marriage," and "When Fifteen and Fifty Disagree." These have not received the circulation they deserve, as it has been impossible to display them advantageously. We hope the Eben W. Jones Annex will resolve this difficulty.

Being human, we have always welcomed constructive criticism and friendly observations from the public. May we share with you a patron's comments:

"Dark winter afternoons and cold winter evenings have found the reading room a gathering place for all ages. There have been increasing numbers of the very young in their happy contact with the privileges and delights entailed by a library card. There have been swarms of high school students in search of reference material or the latest copy of *Holiday*, or a quiet place to study for a Latin test. The reading room has charmed young mothers who have made good use of the Library's new pamphlets on subjects ranging from "Discipline Through Affection" to "How to Cure Your Leaky Basement." Harassed parents of that perennial enigma, the teen-ager, have turned for aid to "The Adolescent and the Family" or for relaxation to *The Dinner Party*, or for comfort to *New Hopes for a Changing World*.

"Sometimes the friends of the Library have found that the most agreeable of all sensations is simply to forget the cares that infest the day, to sink into one of those incomparably cordial arm chairs and listen to the gentle music that comes unobtrusively into the reading room."

With consistent thoughtfulness and generosity various organizations and individuals have presented gifts and books to the library: Mrs. Charles W. Harrington presented a beautiful exterior American flag. The ladies of the Cheney-Armstrong Unit #5, American Legion Auxiliary, have continued their custom of placing one volume each month in the library. Memorial books or memorial funds have been given to the library in memory of some of the town's most beloved men and women: Dr. Herbert Flewelling, Mrs. Amelia E. Morison, Mrs. Ola Myhaver, and Mrs. Anna Mathilda Goyette.

Yes, the library has tried to honor those who are no longer with us, and the same time to serve an active Peterborough public. A newcomer to town, Miss Eula G. Ferguson, once expressed her feel-

ings concerning the library this way: "As a newcomer to Peterborough, I wish to express my joy in finding a library open daily, staffed by friendly people, where modern books are attractively displayed and standard volumes are easily found. Recently, I have been pleased to see the library filled with students preparing for their classes, and the corner to which the children rush is evidence that devotion to the library habit is being developed early in their lives."

The past year has witnessed one enlightening improvement as far as the books in the upper stacks are concerned. These stacks lost their Victorian globes, and new, bright, beautiful fluorescent fixtures with rapid start ballasts were installed. Another improvement was the creation of a postage-stamp workroom, which has proved to be an efficient and welcomed addition. Under the supervision of the president of the Woman's Club, Mrs. Daniel F. Eneguess, a Community Calendar has been installed in the library. This lists the various social activities and meetings of the innumerable clubs and organizations in Peterborough, thus eliminating many conflicting events.

In a thoughtful frame of mind, Mrs. William McGreal, our town's Elizabeth Yates, once reported that statistics are sobering; sometimes challenging. As a nation, Americans read a little better than three library books a year; in Peterborough, something approaching fifteen library books are read. That is high even for New England. Probably other towns do not have the books available; probably other towns do not create the atmosphere or the overtone that would be conducive to reading.

Mrs. E. B. Armstrong, Peterborough's Laurie Hillyer, has described our reading room so nicely:

"The library is a pleasant place to spend an afternoon. A spectated boy is reading the *Geographic*; a white-haired gentleman is barricaded by the *London Illustrated News*; a young woman in slacks and beret has her nose in *Who's Who*. The clock ticks. From an adjoining room comes a muted hi-fi playing Mozart. On the wall is Van Gogh's painting of sunflowers, *Les Tournesols*, appropriate because of the film *Lust for Life*. Behind the long-winged desk is Mr. Bertrand — or Mrs. Hunter or Mrs. Pearson — thoughtfully making arrangements to send to the State Library in Concord for a book not on the Peterborough shelves. The bust of the whiskered Rev. Morison looks benignly down, doubtless pleased with what he sees.

"The feeling of quiet, peace and order is appreciated by children — children who love to read — as well as by adults. In a library, as in literature, it is the overtone which is important — the overtone that is an invitation to mental exploration without which a library, no matter how competently chosen the books, is useless. The overtone, the atmosphere, of our library is a tribute to all who are employed within the Peterborough Town Library."

ALLEN BERTRAND, Librarian

## REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1956.

### STATISTICS ON ARRESTS

Number of persons arrested, male	102	
Number of persons arrested, female	5	
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Arrests		107
Offenses		126
Residents	20	
Non-residents	87	
	—	
	—	107

### OFFENSES FOR WHICH ARRESTS WERE MADE OFFENSES AGAINST CHASTITY, MORALITY, ETC.

Disorderly person	1	
Drunkenness	26	
	—	
		27

### OFFENSES AGAINST THE PERSON

Assault and battery	1	
Throwing trash in highway	1	
	—	
		2

### OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY

Breaking and entering and larceny	8	
Breaking and entering, malicious damage	3	
Larceny (under \$100)	3	
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		14

### OFFENSES AGAINST THE CURRENCY

Forgery	4	4
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### OFFENSES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING

#### Automobile:

Allowing improper person to operate	1	
Leaving scene, property damage	1	
Misuse of plates	1	
Operating after revocation	2	
Operating carelessly & negligently	7	
Operating recklessly, death resulting	1	
Operating recklessly	1	
Operating an uninspected vehicle	1	
Operating under the influence of liquor	8	



Operating an unregistered vehicle	1
Operating without financial responsibility	2
Operating without a license	3
Passing school bus, lights blinking	1
Solid traffic line violation	22
Speeding	19
Stop sign violation	1
Using without consent of owner	2
False report of a crime	1
Fugitives from justice	1
Suspicious persons	3

79

#### RECAPITULATION

Offenses against Chastity, Morality, etc.	27
Offenses against the person	2
Offenses against property	14
Offenses against the currency	4
Offenses not included in the foregoing	79

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#### DISPOSITION OF CASES

Appeals	1
Bound over to Superior Court	6
Continued for sentence	3
Filed	3
Fined	77
Released	19
Sentence suspended	1
Turned over to other departments	16

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#### MISCELLANEOUS

Accidents reported	43
Accidents investigated	81
Complaints investigated	412
Cruiser trips to vacant homes	38
Domestic investigations	12
Doors found unlocked	163
Emergency messages delivered	4
Emergency trips, Monadnock Hospital	8
Investigations for other police depts.	29
Lodgers	33
Missing persons located	3
Street lights reported out	23
Value of stolen property recovered	700

#### POLICE CAR

The police car traveled 17,200 miles during the past year.



## CONCLUSION

I wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks to the Board of Selectmen; members of the Police Department; members of the State Police; Judge Kenneth A. Brighton; Clerk of Courts, Algie A. Holt; Highway Agent Kenneth Wetherbee; Merchants and Citizens of Peterborough for the cooperation given me in the performance of my duty as Chief of Police during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT J. PICARD  
Chief of Police

## MUNICIPAL COURT REPORT

December 31, 1956

## Receipts:

Fines & costs, criminal cases	\$2,470 00	
Reimbursement N. H. Motor Vehicle Dept.	18 00	
Small Claim cases	200 41	
Writ and entry & executions	6 70	
		\$2,695 11

## Disbursements:

Fines and costs, Motor Vehicle Dept.	\$1,192 50	
Fines and costs, Fish & Game Dept.	459 00	
Complaints and warrants	172 50	
Witness fees & traveling expenses	5 12	
Special Justice	40 00	
Clerk of Court (small claims)	10 25	
Justice Fees (small claims)	41 00	
Small claim creditors	128 66	
Printing of writs of execution	9 00	
Police hand book	2 62	
Robert C. Hume, medical expenses	20 00	
Div. of employment security	18 00	
Paid town treasurer	*596 46	
		\$2,695 11

\*Due Algie A. Holt, postage small claim cases,  
overpayment to town treasurer \$10 25

Respectfully submitted,

ALGIE A. HOLT  
Clerk of Court

## REPORT OF CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Selectmen of Peterborough, N. H.:

I submit my report from January 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956.

Alarms	14	
Still alarms	5	
False alarms	0	
	—	19
Chimney fires	1	
Brush and grass fires	3	
Car fires	1	
Oil burner fires	4	
Building fires	9	
Miscellaneous	1	
	—	19

We have added to our equipment at the Fire Station a portable 2500 watt auxiliary lighting plant for emergencies of any kind. From our yearly appropriation we had the inside of the Fire Station painted.

The Department wishes to say "thank you" to everyone who has assisted us this past year and to ask for your continued interest and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID J. ROCHFORD

Chief

## REPORT OF ADAMS PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE

The Peterborough Playground and Pool opened June 25th for a nine week summer season in 1956.

The Playground enjoyed greatly increased activity under the supervision of Howard Cutting and with the aid and personal interest of Lawrence Bishop. An enlarged Little League Baseball program and more emphasis on softball featured this revival of interest.

The swimming pool maintained its high level of popularity with swimming instruction through all classes scheduled five mornings per week and free swimming available in the afternoon. In addition, one night per week was made available for adults' free swim. Instructors and life guards were Dolly Waite and Brenda Blomgren. Mary Bristol was bath-house attendant and both Howard Cutting and John Whelan also served as instructors with Mr. Cutting in over-all charge.

Under the able direction of Ruth Fitzgerald, assisted for a time by Donald Kenyon, handicraft work for the younger children was again a popular feature, with the safety factor of concentrated activities again looming large in importance.

Several capital improvements were made this year, including purchase of two new power mowers and replacement of the pump motor at the Pool. John Whelan, in over-all charge of Maintenance, also was active assisting at both the Playground or Pool, while Ronald Bailey assisted with general maintenances. Another well-deserved expenditure involved work on the grounds at the Playground: seeding, grading, addition of loam and fertilizer and the installation of water on that side of the road.

Projected plans for 1957 include continuation of existing summer activities plus the erection of a skating rink for winter use adjacent to existing facilities west of the Pool, under the supervision of the Playground Committee. Your committee is indebted for this idea to the Parent-Teachers' Association, the Youth Center Study Committee and the Peterborough Planning Board, all of whom have been studying this problem and contributing greatly to what we trust will be a final and satisfactory solution.

Since the water and chlorinating system has gone without major replacement for some 20 years it is apparent that the voters should act to replace items that are currently breaking down and soon may become inoperative.

We recommend that attention be given to the filtration system at the Pool, that a new pump be installed, the filter charges must be cleaned and also we wish to state that we may or may not need new apparatus for the introduction of chemicals to the water. We must wait until this summer when the pool is in operation to de-

termine if the added pressure gained by these expenditures will solve problems that exist in our vacuum cleaning system. We also wish to endorse the Youth Center Study Committee's recommendation that the town engage a full time Recreation Director at a salary of \$4500 per year to function under the direction of this committee so as to make available to townspeople of all ages a well-integrated year round program in this area.

Your committee feels that activity at the Playground is on the rise and is quite satisfied with the summer activities.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter R. Peterson, Jr., Chairman  
Henry H. Franklin  
Mary B. Fitzgerald  
Gerald H. Faunce  
Lawrence Bishop

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## REPORT OF RECREATION COMMITTEE

At the 1956 Town Meeting the Recreation Committee was asked to make a study of the recreational program and facilities of Peterborough. This assignment was carried out through conferences and meetings with all interested organizations.

After an exhaustive study of proposals, there seemed to be clear-cut evidence that Peterborough will eventually need the services of a full time Supervisor of Recreation. However, there remains the matter of providing and organizing facilities before any major assignment of operations can be made.

Your Committee, therefore, has joined as an excellent starting project the plan to be presented by the Planning Board, which provides the most needed facility, namely a skating area, for 1958.

The Committee does not submit this report as final but as one of progress and hopes that the Town will see fit to support the Article on Recreation in the Town Warrant. This article will automatically continue the study of the recreational program and needs for our town.

EDWARD G. LOBACKI

Chairman



## REPORT OF THE PETERBOROUGH PLANNING BOARD

Three assignments were given to the Planning Board at the 1956 Town Meeting:

1. To study the road conditions of the town and make recommendations as to their repair.

This project has been one which the Planning Board has reviewed with the Selectmen and some citizens. A joint meeting with the Selectmen brought agreement in regard to repairing High Street to a point joining the improved road at the Colony Hall and to reconstruct the Windy Row road as far as funds and time would permit this year. However, further study of all the highways in the town is being made and a report to the 1958 Town Meeting contemplated.

2. Town lighting: This study was projected with the co-operation of the Public Service Company of New Hampshire and a comprehensive as well as a progressive plan has been displayed. The chief merit of the plan is that it provides adequate lighting on the basis of area need rather than on individual requests. It provides for modern units and when and if the town votes to use and complete the program, it will add approximately \$5,000 per year to the present, \$7,200 per year lighting expense. There should be further study of lighting outside the compact center of the town and the Planning Board will further this project during the year.

3. A sum of \$1,000 was voted as the Town's share of a joint state and federal program of building an accurate base map of the town. This project is being executed at the present time, although not started until recently. Time has been consumed in completing the program of contracts, approval and the securing of professional services. Aerial photograph maps have been ordered as the basic data for accurate town maps of a general layout, the residential areas and the business areas of each of the town's four centers. It is contemplated that at the 1958 Town Meeting much of this work will be available for study and planning.

The completion of the entire program of the War Memorial occurred upon the unveiling of the Korean War Plaque this past year. A portion of the sidewalk projects now contemplated by the Selectmen will greatly improve the War Memorial area and will be a material improvement in the appearance of that area.

The Board has further interested itself in the usual routine items but especially endeavored to unify the planning and use of town owned areas for recreation. Chief among these was the matter of adequate facilities for skating. A suggested solution of this problem will be presented to the Town for action. The

Board was pleased to be invited to join other groups in the discussion of a unified recreational program and accordingly met with several groups in relation to the subject.

The matter of Town Planning is still before the Board in relation to zoning, but until adequate data can be presented as the result of studies now being made, there is no specific project placed before the voters for action this year.

Respectfully submitted,

KARL B. MUSSER, Chairman

MARTIN J. KEENAN

HAZEL N. GOYETTE

ERLE G. BISHOP

FORREST C. MERCER

RICHARD H. CHERWIN

ERNEST B. G. PIGGOTT

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVING THE TOWN REPORT

Your committee, appointed pursuant to a motion passed at the Annual Town Meeting, March 1956, and named by the Moderator, consists of one member from the Board of Selectmen, the Planning Board and the Budget Committee. We have studied the 1955 Peterborough Reports and those of several other towns. Many of these are striking reports which could be emulated here but, unless and, until the town desires a permanent Town Report Committee, charged with the responsibility of assembling and editing the reports, we feel the best thing that can be done is to streamline and simplify the present reports. We had several ideas and suggestions in mind but find that some of them would be out of line with the many requirements of the Division of Municipal Accounting of the State Tax Commission, which, we understand, must be met.

Briefly our recommendations include double columnning the list of Town Officers to save space and expense with probably no sacrifice in legibility and clarity. The Warrant cannot be changed in format but we would like to see a brief resume of the previous year's meeting following the Warrant. There is little that can be changed in the Budget, or Budget Committee Reports, except possibly to make the latter briefer. There appears to be considerable duplication in the Comparative Statement, Statement of Appropriations, and Budget but these all are a must according to the Tax Commission.

We would suggest the elimination of most of the detail, particularly names of persons, companies, and amounts paid out or paid in, under the Detailed Statement of Payments and Receipts. Headings, such as "Labor" or "Services," "Supplies," "Expenses" or "Rental of Equipment" with totals should suffice. We would like to see, however, a brief summary of the number of miles of roads in town, distances built, tarred, plowed etc. In other words, we feel it is much more important to know what we got for our money than how much people paid or were paid for services rendered. The Water Department did a fine job of so describing its activities in the 1955 report. Your committee wonders, in the case of the Water Department, if it is necessary to print the list of unpaid water accounts. To us this seems a printing expense that might be eliminated. If this information does have to be printed could it not be set up in paragraph style with the name followed by the amount owed rather than several pages of names and amounts in column style?

Some economies could be effected in the Trust Funds section with the possibility of the Library and other funds being printed in paragraph form. We are not quite sure whether the fine print listing of Trust Funds need be printed and suggest that, if not, this

be dispensed with. This is very expensive to print and is probably read by very few taxpayers.

The Tax Collector's Report which was in the back of the 1955 report will be found in front this year where it belongs. A good deal of space could be saved in this report by either listing unpaid taxes in paragraph form, or, where the figures are repeated, such as unpaid polls, they could be run two columns to the page. We have asked that this be done in this year's report and you will see this list set up in this manner.

We have little comment to make on such reports as the Playground, Library, or Planning Board. They appear to be as clear, concise and brief as is commensurate with the functions of these committees. We have no suggestions to make as to the Fire or Police Department reports; they seem as clear and yet as brief as possible.

The committee would like to see the Vital Statistics at the end of the town activities rather than at the end of the School Reports where they do not seem to belong. The Tax Commission, however, says that the "Vitals" should be at the very end of the town report.

There is little upon which to comment in the School Report. Some feel that it is too long and tends to wordiness; we see little that can be eliminated or pared, at the same time giving the taxpayers the complete picture of what our schools are doing.

In conclusion, we feel that if the aforementioned suggestions and recommendations are followed in preparing the Town Report another year the readers will be as well informed on town affairs as at present (and in some cases better) and at the same time a saving to the town of some money in the cost of printing will be accomplished.

LOUIS TEIXEIRA  
ERNEST B. G. PIGGOTT  
DANE P. CUMMINGS

February 18, 1957





# SCHOOL REPORT

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PETERBOROUGH, N. H.

For the School Year Ending June 30, 1956

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PART I. ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION

A. OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Moderator

MAURICE M. BLODGETT

Clerk

HELEN A. KEENAN

School Board

MARGARET H. CLEMENT, Chr.

Term expires 1957

H. LEGRO LANE

Term expires 1958

ROBERT D. STEWART (Appointed)

Term expires 1957

Treasurer

ROBERT W. DERBY

Auditors

STATE TAX COMMISSION

Superintendent of Schools

LESTER B. BADGER

Helping Teacher

ROBERT L. FILBIN

Truant Officer

ALBERT J. PICARD

School Physician

MAHLON R. MASON, M.D.

School Nurse

GLADYS E. NEWHALL, R.N.

## B. NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

In case of emergency when it seems inadvisable to have schools in session on any day, the No-School Signal will be given by sounding the signal 22 on the fire alarm system at 7:30 A. M., and by having it announced over radio station WBZ at the same time approximately. When the No-School Signal is given it means that there will be no school all day. If on a day when the weather looks so bad that one suspects there will be no school and by 7:30 has not heard the no-school whistle nor the no-school announcement on the radio, one can find out if there is to be no-school by asking the telephone operator.

## C. CALENDAR

1957

April 19 Schools close—Spring vacation.  
 April 29 Schools reopen.  
 May 30 Schools closed—Memorial Day.  
 June 14 Schools close 12:15 (Unless time lost)—Summer vacation.  
 Sept. 4 Schools open.  
 Oct. 17-18 Schools closed—State Teachers' Convention.  
 Nov. 28-29 Schools closed—Thanksgiving recess.  
 Dec. 20 Schools close—Christmas vacation.

1958

Jan. 6 Schools reopen.  
 Feb. 21 Schools close—winter vacation.  
 Mar. 3 Schools reopen.

## D. REPORT OF DISTRICT CLERK

At a meeting of the Inhabitants of the School District of Peterborough qualified to vote in School District affairs, holden at the Town House in said District on Tuesday the 13th day of March, 1956 at 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon. The Moderator, Maurice H. Blodgett presided and called the meeting to order and proceeded with the business as follows:

After the reading of the Warrant, a motion was presented that the polls of the Peterborough School District close at 1:00 P. M. and at 1:00 P. M. the District take up articles 5 through 13 of the School Warrant. Voting for the offices of Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer and member of the School Board for three years until 1:00 o'clock.

At one:fifteen of the Clock, the Moderator called the meeting to order and the High School Varsity Chorus under the direction of George W. Breakwell, Music Supervisor, sang the Peterborough Hymn by Edward MacDowell, "God of Our Fathers." Miss Florence Hancock accompanied the group.

Article 5 was then considered, and the following motions were presented and passed without discussion.



- (a) Moved: That the salary of each School Board member be \$50.00 for the ensuing year.
- (b) Moved: That the salary of the District Treasurer be \$75. for the ensuing year.
- (c) Moved: That the salary of the Moderator be \$10 for the ensuing year.
- (d) Moved: That the salary of the School District Clerk be \$10 for the ensuing year.
- (e) Moved: That the salary of each Ballot Clerk be \$5.00 for the ensuing year.

Under Article 6, it was voted that the reports of the Clerk and Treasurer be accepted as printed.

Earl N. Shultz, Chairman of the Building Committee read the following report and moved for its acceptance:

Report of the Building Committee:

The Peterborough Consolidated School is now a reality. The history back of this project is interesting and fruitful. Space does not permit the inclusion of this history which was so well reported in the January 26 issue of the Peterborough Transcript.

Briefly listed are the highlights of the Building Committee work.

March, 1954 School District Meeting. Appointment of the Building Committee.

March 10, 1954 First Meeting held.

March 23, 1954 Mr. Irving W. Hersey engaged as architect.

April 21, 1954 First plan submitted.

May 14, 1954 Plan accepted.

June 10, 1954 Bond issue under way.

August 16, 1954 Bids opened and contract awarded to the P. Madonia Co. at a price of \$380,702.00.

August 30, 1954 Construction started.

September 12, 1955 School started with all classes functioning under one roof.

January 20, 1956 Building accepted.

January 29, 1956 Dedication ceremonies held.

During the period of construction, the Building Committee kept in close touch with the progress and many problems had to be solved. The Committee met weekly and sometimes additional meetings were necessary. The School Board and the Superintendent and the architect or a member of his staff attended these meetings. Additional projects were added to the building program at the 1955 Annual meeting on March 8, and at the adjourned meeting on March 15. The sum of \$11,300.00 was appropriated for grading and seeding, \$3,100.00 for building a road, \$2,500.00 for the construction of a parking lot, \$2,700.00 for the construction of a retaining wall and \$6,000.00 for constructing a floor, installing light and heat in the basement of the elementary wing.

Two members of the committee deserve mention in carrying out these projects. Mr. Martin Keenan supervised the road building project and Mr. Forrest Mercer the grading and seeding. These men worked out a very satisfactory method of handling the school busses and other traffic.

The Committee believes that a very satisfactory job has been done by the Contractor, Mr. Madonia who carried out his contract at a personal sacrifice.

The Architect, Mr. Hersey did a very good job of planning which has been demonstrated through the use of the building.

The Peterborough Consolidated School is making Peterborough more and more a center for the surrounding communities. In the school year 1954-1955 there were 112 tuition pupils. This year there are 165 tuition pupils whose tuition fees total \$48,953.00.

We now have a plant in which educational opportunities are offered that we can regard with pride. The facilities available will attract and hold good teachers which are so essential to our educational program.

Again the Committee expresses its appreciation to the School Board, the School Superintendent and all others who contributed so much to the completion of this project.

Signed: Edith T. Wilder, Bertram C. Clukay, H. LeGro Lane, George M. Kendall, Kenneth A. Brighton, Karl B. Musser, Earl N. Shultz, Martin J. Keenan, Forrest F. Tenney, Margaret H. Clement and Forrest C. Mercer.

## PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL BUILDING FUND REPORT

March 8, 1956

### INCOME

Appropriated Monies		
Appropriation, 1954-55		\$30,000 00
Sale of Bonds		430,000 00
Special appropriation for walls & basement, 1955-56		11,000 00
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		\$471,000 00
Unappropriated Monies		
Premium & Interest (Net)	\$3,705 80	
Sale of Pratt property	50 00	
	<hr/>	3,755 80
Grand Total		<hr/>
		\$474,755 80

## EXPENSES

Administration:		
Legal fees	\$186 00	
Insurance	668 52	
Recording deeds	32 90	
Miscellaneous	18 50	
		905 92
Planning:		
Surveys	25 00	
Architect	21,000 00	
		\$21,025 00
Land:		
Purchase	11,550 00	
Landscaping	13,601 36	
		\$25,151 36
Construction		404,664 73
Equipment		11,325 70
Total paid to date		\$463,072 71
*Balance of appropriated funds		7,927 29
		\$471,000 00
Unappropriated funds on hand		3,755 80
Grand Total		\$474,755 80
*Commitments against balance on hand of		\$7,927 29
Contractor, balance of contract	\$2,000 00	
Architect, balance (Est.)	2,612 00	
Painting, balance of contract	447 50	
Hardware, balance of contract	344 48	
Clocks, contract	1,586 62	
Equipment (Est.)	936 69	
Total		\$7,927 29

BERTRAM C. CLUKAY

Chairman School Board

LESTER B. BADGER

Superintendent of Schools

It was voted to accept the report and financial statement, and a rising vote of thanks was given the committee.

Under Article 7, the following motion was passed.

Moved: That the Municipal Accounting of the State Tax Commission be requested to audit the accounts of the Treasurer and the School Board.



Under Article 8.

Moved: That the School District raise and appropriate \$239,197.00 and to authorize and direct the School Board to apply against said appropriation such income as is estimated by the School Board, exclusive of State Aid, and upon the determination of the amount of State Aid to be received by the School District during the next fiscal year, to authorize and direct the School Board to apply against such appropriation the sum to be received from state aid and with the School District clerk certify to the Selectmen the balance as an assessment to be raised by the Town for school purposes. Mr. Clukay of the School Board explained the various expenditures in the budget, and Mrs. Margaret Clement explained the various receipts and the motion passed without discussion.

Under Article 9 the following motion was passed.

Moved: That the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 for the purchase of new equipment.

Article 10.

Moved: That the District raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for the additional grading and seeding and maintenance of the school grounds. The motion passed.

Article 11. Under Article 11 the following motion was passed.

Moved: That the District raise and appropriate in addition to the original appropriation for 1955-1956, the sum of \$9,471.00 to be made available to the School District prior to July 1, 1956 in order to meet unanticipated obligations caused by increased enrollments, increased transportation and additional expenses for custodial service, electricity and repairs and maintenance, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of unanticipated income from tuitions of \$9,471.00.

It was voted that action under Article 12 be indefinitely postponed.

Under Article 13 the following motion was passed.

Moved: That the District authorize the School Board to sell the Happy Valley School House and lot. It was voted to recess the meeting until after the ballots had been counted. Result of the voting for School District Officials.

For Moderator, Maurice H. Blodgett 911 Votes.

For Clerk, Helen A. Keenan 929 Votes.

For Treasurer, Robert Derby 921 Votes.

For School Board Member for Three Years, Bertram C. Clukay 920 Votes.

The meeting was declared adjourned at 8:30 o'clock.

S/HELEN A. KEENAN

School District Clerk

A True Copy



## SCHOOL WARRANT

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To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Peterborough qualified to vote in the district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said district on the 12th day of March 1957, at 8:30 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Member of the Shcool Board for the ensuing two years.
5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
6. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
7. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
8. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subjects embraced in this warrant.
9. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate in addition to the original appropriation for 1956-57 the sum of \$6,389.62 in order to meet unanticipated obligations caused by increased enrollments, repairs and maintenance, and a school lunch program deficit, and to authorize the application against such appropriation of the unanticipated income from tuitions of \$4,503.63 and the balance of \$1,885.99 to be raised by taxes by the Town and made available to the school district prior to July 1, 1957.

11. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 for the purchase and installation of steel venetian blinds for the windows in the elementary wing basement to conform with the request of the Civil Defense authorities, or take any other action relating thereto.

12. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to sell the Central School, so-called, or take any other action relating thereto.

Given under our hands at said Peterborough this 8th day of February, 1957.

S/MARGARET H. CLEMENT

S/H. LEGRO LANE

S/ROBERT D. STEWART

SCHOOL BOARD

PART II. INSTRUCTION  
A. INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1956  
PETERBOROUGH CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

TEACHER	POSITION	DEGREE AND TRAINING	EXPERIENCE
Aldrich, Lester R.	Principal, (1-12)	B. S. Ed., '40; M. Ed., '47, Fitchburg, T. C.	13
Angwin, Nancy A.	Math. & Civics	B. Ed., '56, Keene T. C.	—
Barry, Jane F.	French, Latin & English	A. B., '38, Middlebury College	6
Briggs, Harold L.	Commercial	B. B. S., '50, Babson Institute	1
Carl, Barbara B.	Grade 3	3 yrs. '39, B. E., '53, Keene T. C.	8
Craig, Ruth B.	Guidance, Civics & Youth	A. B., '35, U. N. H., M. Ed., '54, B. U.	15
Cristaldi, Carmelina F.	Commercial	B. S., '55, B. U.	1
Crossman, Virginia A.	Phys. Ed., (1-12)	B. S., '49, B. U. Sargent College	7
Cutting, Howard C.	Phys. Ed., (7-12), & Bio.	B. S., '55, Springfield College	1
Dart, Richard D.	Math. & Science (8)	B. S., '49, U. N. H.	6
Deschenes, Mae J.	Grade 3	2 yrs., '22, Keene T. C.	10
Dube, Vernon C.	Shop, (7-10)	B. A., '54, Keene T. C.	2
Dutton, Mildred P.	Grade 4	2 yrs., '22, Keene T. C.	15
Faunce, Texas M.	Home Economics	B. S., '30, R. I. State	11
Fitzgerald, Mary M.	Grade 6	2 yrs., '22, Keene T. C.	29
Fontaine, Barbara E.	English & Soc. St. (7)	B. S., '39, Salem S. T.	8
Hall, Ruel J.	Math. & Science (7)	B. E., '55, Keene T. C.	1
Hancock, Florence M.	Mathematics	A. B., '27, Bates College	29
Haywood, Harold H.	English	A. B., '55, B. U.	—
Kenyon, Donald E.	Grade 5	B. A., '45, U. N. H.	5
Kullgren, Myrtie F.	Grade 1	B. E., '45, Keene T. C.	10
Manning, Thomas B., Jr.	Auto Mech. (11-12)	B. E., '50, Keene T. C.	5
McAdam, Thomas J.	Asst. Prin. (1-6), Grade 6	B. A., '50, St. Anselm's	5
Morris, Dorothy F. C.	Grade 2	3 yrs., '30, Wheelock College,	13
Nims, David A.	English	B. E., '54, Keene T. C.	1
Parent, Bruce E.	English & Soc. St. (8)	B. E., '55, Keene T. C.	2
Parent, Irene D.	Grade 1	B. E., '52, Keene T. C.	4

Thomas, Marion B.			
Tierney, Joan E.			
Trufant, Richard O.			
Vogel, Lucille J.			
Warren, Esther F.			
Bartlett, Neil S.			
Miller, Gerald A.			
Social Studies			
Grade 5			
Science			
Grade 2			
Grade 4			
Music Supervisor			
Art Supervisor			
A. B., '42, Colby College,			14
M. E., '53, Bridgewater T. C.			2
B. A., '53, U. N. H.			14
B. E., '37, Keene T. C., M. E., '39, B. U.			3
B. M., '49, Michigan S. C.			14
B. E., '40, Keene T. C.			1
B. S., '54, Lowell S. T.			2
B. A., '53, U. N. H.			



## B. PROGRAM AND METHODS

On September 5th Peterborough Consolidated School opened with ten new members on its faculty as follows:

Nancy A. Angwin, Math. & Civics; Jane F. Barry, French, Latin, and English; Harold L. Briggs, Commercial subjects; Virginia A. Crossman, Physical Education, Grades 1-12; Harold H. Haywood, English; Myrtie F. Kullgren, Grade 1; Joan E. Tierney, Grade 5; Lucille J. Vogel, Grade 2; Neil S. Bartlett, Music; and Gerald A. Miller, Art.

An innovation this year was the transportation provided by the new transporter, Harold A. Clukay of Dublin. All new equipment assures greater pupil safety and facilitates adhering to the time schedule established by the School District.

Loading areas in front of the school provide an excellent situation for loading and unloading the boys and girls.

This year school facilities have been made available to the students during vacation periods for recreational purposes under volunteer supervision from the community.

Of particular interest in the area of improving instruction was the introduction of an experimental program in reading. Children needing special help in reading were identified and grouped within classrooms at the second and third grade levels and taught by the Gillingham method. This has proved very successful, and it is the hope of the staff to finally incorporate this type of instruction into the regular course of study. The program has received much attention from educators in and out of the state and has served as a motivator in getting similar ones going in other communities.

The science department was fortunate to have special instruction on atomic energy. In November, Mr. Elmer Galley, representing the Atomic Energy Institute of Oak Ridge, conducted a special one-week instructional program for students of the Physics and Chemistry Classes. Peterborough was one of the two hundred schools in the United States selected for this special program.

Elementary teachers in an effort to improve the teaching of reading, writing, and spelling conducted an evaluation of their instructional program in this area during the winter and spring of 1956. In October they conducted a one-day workshop as a follow-up on their evaluation and Dr. B. Alice Crossley of Boston University, brought them up-to-date on current research and practices.

In the area of music an instrumental music program was initiated and carried out with an instructor from the Fitchburg Music Company. Approximately 40 students enrolled in this program. Due to the lack of an instructor the program was not resumed in September. In November an arrangement was

made with the Beacon Music Store in Boston, for an instructor and lessons were resumed in January, 1957. Along with this, band instruction has been continued. An unusual musical event this year was the performance for the first time of Handel's Messiah at Christmas time by the combined High School Chorus and student soloists.

The Student Council of Peterborough High School received unusual recognition this year by being recognized as one of the six leading student councils in New Hampshire by the National Student Council Association.

### PART III. SCHOOL PLANT

#### A. INSURANCE

Fire & extended coverage on Peterborough Consolidated School & contents	\$440,000 00
Fire & extended coverage on Central School	25,000 00
Boiler Insurance, Peterborough Consolidated School	5,000 00
Owners' & Tenants' Liability, including teachers: each person	25,000 00
each accident	50,000 00
Workmen's Compensation & Employers' Liability	25,000 00
Driver Training Car: Comprehensive & Collision: Bodily Liability, each person	50,000 00
each accident	100,000 00
Property damage, each accident	10,000 00
Medical payments, each person	1,000 00

### PART IV. FINANCE

#### A. REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

Cash on hand July 1, 1955	\$3,866 52
Received from Selectmen:	
Current appropriation	\$206,009 00
Balance of previous appropriation	2,487 56
Received from State Treasurer:	
State Funds	5,569 79
Received from tuitions	49,973 66
Received from all other sources	8,087 15
Total Receipts	\$272,127 16
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	275,993 68
Less School Board Orders Paid	275,733 89
Balance on hand June 30, 1956	\$259 79

S/ROBERT W. DERBY

District Treasurer

August 2, 1956.

## B. SCHOOL BOARD'S FINANCIAL REPORT AND BUDGETS

	Expenditures 1955-56	Budget 1956-57	Revised Budget 1956-57	Budget 1957-58
ADMINISTRATION:				
1. Salaries of Dist. Officers	\$245 00	\$255 00	\$255 00	\$255 00
2. Salaries of Supt. & Helping Teacher	3,474 97	3,420 00	3,420 00	3,753 00
3. Tax for State-Wide Super.	1,028 00	1,028 00	1,028 00	1,064 00
4. Salaries of other admin. Per.	2,200 56	2,431 00	2,431 00	2,667 00
5. Supplies and Expenses	1,929 01	2,364 00	2,320 00	1,928 00
INSTRUCTION:				
6. Teachers' Salaries	106,779 80	118,660 00	124,844 90	142,533 00
7. Books & Other Instr. Aids	4,660 76	3,916 00	4,400 00	4,309 00
8. Scholars' Supplies	7,282 77	7,343 00	7,343 00	8,500 00
9. Salaries of Clerical Assts.	1,575 79	1,600 00	1,624 20	1,700 00
10. Supplies & Other Expenses	1,886 66	2,225 00	2,225 00	2,562 00
OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT:				
11. Salaries of Custodians	8,980 24	10,000 00	10,066 20	10,200 00
12. Fuel or Heat	4,885 86	5,630 00	5,938 00	6,350 00
13. Water, Light, Suppl. & Exp.	6,199 31	7,100 00	8,355 56	8,300 00
MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT				
14. Repairs and Replacements	14,298 27	7,300 00	10,365 00	10,092 00
AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES:				
15. Health Supervision	3,050 17	3,365 00	3,505 66	3,635 00
16. Transportation	13,105 62	14,000 00	13,500 00	14,000 00
17. Tuition	35 83		415 00	460 00
18. Special Activities & Sp. Funds	972 66	800 00	800 00	900 00
18a. School Lunch	4,309 03		880 32	
FIXED CHARGES:				
19. Retirement	8,579 87	9,620 00	10,061 83	11,025 00
20. Ins., Treas. Bond & Exp.	3,089 15	3,682 00	2,902 34	3,257 00
CAPITAL OUTLAY:				
21. Land and New Buildings	150,631 08	5,000 00	3,143 11	
23. New Equipment	21,073 73	4,000 00	3,085 00	4,025 00
DEBT AND INTEREST:				
25. Principal of Debt	25,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00
26. Interest on Debt	7,932 50	7,458 00	7,457 50	6,983 00
27. Contingency Fund		2,000 00		2,000 00
	\$402,906 64	\$248,197 00	\$255,366 62	\$275,498 00

	INCOME		Revised	1957-58
	1955-56	1956-57	1956-57	
Cash on Hand July 1:				
General Fund	\$3,866 52		\$259 79	
Building Fund	135,720 59			
Federal Aid	5,569 79	1,875 00	1,888 84	1,650 00
State Aid-Construction		5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00
Tuition	49,973 66	48,000 00	52,900 00	62,646 00
Rent				100 00
Other	5,170 37		100 00	
Local Taxes:				
Current Assessment	166,396 56	184,322 00	193,332 00	206,102 00
Special Assessment	42,100 00	9,000 00	1,885 99	
	\$408,797 49	\$248,197 00	\$255,366 62	\$275,498 00
Cash on hand June 30:				
General Fund	259 79			
Building Fund	5,631 06			
Totals	\$402,906 64	\$248,197 00	\$255,366 62	\$275,498 00

### C. BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 1956

#### ASSETS:

Cash on hand June 30, 1956 (Including Building Fund)	\$5,890 85
Accounts Due to District:	
From State:	
School Lunch	184 33
Vocational Teachers' Reimbursement	158 34
From Others:	
N. H. I. A. A.	32 03
Credit Balance, Central Scientific Co.	13 95



Rindge School District	38 69
Tuition	82 90
Total Assets	\$6,401 09
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities Over Assets)	403,405 34
Grand Total	\$409,806 43

**LIABILITIES:**

Accounts Owed by District:	
Withholding Taxes not paid	\$3,356 90
Accounts payable	1,449 53
Notes & Bonds Outstanding	405,000 00
Total Liabilities	\$409,806 43
Grand Total	\$409,806 43

**STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS**

Outstanding at beginning of year	\$430,000 00
Issued during year	
Payments of Principal of Debt	25,000 00
Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year	\$405,000 00

**CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

S/MARGARET H. CLEMENT  
S/H. LEGRO LANE  
S/BERTRAM C. CLUKAY  
School Board

S/LESTER B. BADGER  
Superintendent  
July 20, 1956.

**D. SCHOOL LUNCH FUND**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1955	\$250 06
Receipts:	
Lunch Sales, Children	\$22,943 78
Lunch Sales, Adults	1,620 82
	24,564 60
Food reimbursements	3,485 17
District appropriation	254 56
Special milk	1,205 97
	\$29,760 36

## EXPENDITURES:

Food	\$19,527 99
Labor, Adults	9,613 32
Equipment	285 58
Other	127 32
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	29,554 21

Balance as of June 30, 1956 \$206 15

**Balance Sheet, June 30, 1956**

## ASSETS:

Cash on hand June 30, 1956	\$206 15	
Accounts Due:		
May School Lunch reimbursement	98 65	
Donald Kenyon	30 00	
May and June milk	181 60	
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Total Assets		\$516 40
Excess of Liabilities over Assets		880 32

Grand Total \$1,396 72

## LIABILITIES:

Accounts Owed:		
Accounts Payable	\$1,396 72	
Total Liabilities		\$1,396 72
		<hr/>
Grand Total		\$1,396 72

## E. NOTIFICATION OF SCHOOL ASSESSMENT, 1956

## EXPENDITURES (1956-57)

Current Expenditures	\$206,739 00
Debt and Interest	32,458 00
Special Appropriations:	
Grading and seeding	5,000 00
New equipment	4,000 00
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Total Appropriation	\$248,197 00

## RECEIPTS (1956-57)

Balance, June 30, 1956 (Estimate)	<hr/>	
Federal Aid (Estimate)	1,875 00	
State Aid (Estimate) Construction	5,000 00	
Tuition (Estimate)	48,000 00	
Assessment Required to Meet School		
District Appropriation	193,322 00	
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Total Appropriation		\$248,197 00

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Peterborough of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956 and find them correct in all respects.

S/NORVAL D. LESSELS

S/HUGH J. CASSIDY

August 2, 1956

Auditors

## REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

(Building Fund Account)

Cash on Hand July 1, 1955	\$135,720 59
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Received from Selectmen:

Current Appropriation	\$11,000 00
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Received from all Other Sources	1,281 82
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Total Receipts	\$12,281 82
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Total Amount available for fiscal year	148,002 41
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Less School Board orders paid	142,371 35
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Balance on hand June 30, 1956	5,631 06
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S ROBERT W. DERBY

August 2, 1956.

District Treasurer

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Peterborough of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956 and find them correct in all respects.

S/NORVAL D. LESSELS

S/HUGH J. CASSIDY

August 2, 1956.

Auditors

## CERTIFICATES

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of the Peterborough school district held March 13, 1956.

S/HELEN A. KEENAN

June 6, 1956.

Clerk of the School District

TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the financial proceedings of the district for the school year 1956-57, and that copies of this statement have been filed with the chairman of the board of selectmen and entered in the records of the school board in accordance with N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 197, Section 20.

S/MARGARET H. CLEMENT

June 6, 1956.

Chairman of the School Board

### F. STATE AUDITORS' REPORT

**REPORT OF AN EXAMINATION AND AUDIT OF THE  
ACCOUNTS OF THE PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1956 made by  
THE DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION, August 1 & 2, 1956**

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

August 24, 1956

The School Board  
Peterborough School District  
Peterborough, New Hampshire  
Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of the Peterborough School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1956, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the District. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

### SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the School Board and the School District Treasurer.



## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### **Comparative Balance Sheets: (Exhibit A)**

Comparative Balance Sheets as of June 30, 1955 and June 30, 1956, are presented in Exhibit A. As indicated therein, the Net Debt decreased by \$17,924.16 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1956.

### **Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit B)**

An analysis of the change in financial condition of the School District during the fiscal year is made in Exhibit B, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein.

### **Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures—Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits C & D)**

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1956, are presented in Exhibits C and D. As indicated by the Budget Summary (Exhibit D), a revenue surplus of \$9,592.31, less a net overdraft of appropriations of \$8,199.82, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$1,392.49.

### **Summary of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit E-1)**

A summary of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1956, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit E-1. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of June 30, 1956, is indicated in Exhibit E-2.

### **Building Fund Account: (Exhibit F)**

A summarized statement showing the activity in the Building Fund Account during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1956, is presented in Exhibit F.

### **Statement of Bonded Debt: (Exhibit H)**

A statement of the Bonded Indebtedness of the School District as of June 30, 1956, showing annual debt service requirements, is contained in Exhibit H.

## GENERAL COMMENTS

### **Current Deficit:**

It is noted that as of June 30, 1956, there was a current deficit (excess of current liabilities over total assets) in the amount of \$4,036.40, as indicated herewith:

Current Liabilities	\$10,437 49
Total Assets	6,401 09
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Current Deficit	\$4,036 40

This resulted from income taxes withheld but not remitted at the close of the fiscal year, amounting to \$3,356.90, and other accounts payable of \$1,449.53, which are included in the Balance Sheet as liability items.

**Conclusion:**

The provisions of Chapter 184 of the Laws of 1955, require that this report or the summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the School District.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Peterborough School District for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director  
Division of Municipal Accounting  
State Tax Commission

Norval D. Lessels, Auditor  
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

August 24, 1956

**Certificate of Audit**

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Peterborough School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1956, and found them to be in good order.

In our opinion, the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the School District as of June 30, 1956, and the results of operations for the fiscal year ended on that date.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director  
Division of Municipal Accounting  
State Tax Commission

Norval D. Lessels, Auditor  
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant

**I N D E X**

**Exhibits:**

A—Comparative Balance Sheets—June 30, 1955 and  
June 30, 1956

B—Analysis of Change in Financial Condition

C—Comparative Statement of Appropriations and  
Expenditures

D—Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues and  
Budget Summary

E-1—Classified Summary of Receipts and Expenditures

E-2—Summary of Receipts, Expenditures and Proof of Balance

F—Summary of Building Fund Account and Proof of Balance

G—Summary of School Lunch Account and Proof of Balance

H—Statement of Bonded Indebtedness, Showing Annual Maturities of Principal and Interest

**EXHIBIT A**  
**PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Comparative Balance Sheets**  
**As of June 30, 1955 and June 30, 1956**

ASSETS	JUNE 30, 1955	JUNE 30, 1956
Cash—General Fund	\$3,866 52	\$259 79
Cash—Building Fund (Contra)	135,720 59	5,631 06
<b>Accounts Receivable:</b>		
State of New Hampshire:		
School Lunch	\$125 90	\$184 33
Vocational Teachers' Reim- bursement		158 34
Tuition	1,096 36	82 90
Rindge School District		38 69
N. H. I. A. A.		32 03
Credit Balance, Central Scientific Company		13 95
	\$1,222 26	\$510 24
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$140,809 37</b>	<b>\$6,401 09</b>
<b>Net Debt</b>	<b>426,960 56</b>	<b>409,036 40</b>
<b>Total Assets &amp; Net Debt</b>	<b>\$567,769 93</b>	<b>\$415,437 49</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Building Fund Cash (Contra)	\$135,720 59	\$5,631 06
Withholding Taxes Not Paid		3,356 90
Accounts Payable	49 34	1,449 53
Unexpended Balance of Appropriations (Waterproofing)	2,000 00	
Bonds Outstanding	430,000 00	405,000 00
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$567,769 93</b>	<b>\$415,437 49</b>

**EXHIBIT B**  
**PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Analysis of Change in Financial Condition**  
**Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956**

Net Debt—June 30, 1955	\$426,960 56
Net Debt—June 30, 1956	409,036 40
<b>Decrease in Net Debt</b>	<b>\$17,924 16</b>

**Analysis of Change**

<b>Decrease in Net Debt:</b>	
Bonds Paid	\$25,000 00
Net Budget Surplus	1,392 49
	<b>\$26,392 49</b>
<b>Increases in Net Debt:</b>	
Decrease in Accounts Receivable	\$671 80
Increase in Accounts Payable	4,757 09
Surplus Used to Reduce School Tax	3,039 44
	<b>\$8,468 33</b>
	<b>\$17,924 16</b>

EXHIBIT C  
PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956

	Carried From 1954-55 (*) Assets Liabilities	Appro- priations 1955-56	Receipts & Reimburse- ments	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Balances Unexpended	Carried To 1956-57 Overdrawn Assets
<b>Administration:</b>							
Salaries of District Officers		\$255 00		\$255 00	\$245 00	\$10 00	
Supt.'s Salary (Local Share)		3,134 00		3,134 00	3,174 97		\$40 97
Tax for State Wide Supervision		1,028 00		1,028 00	1,028 00		
Salaries of Other Adm. Personnel		2,200 00		2,200 00	2,200 56		56
Supplies & Expenses		1,583 00	107 83	1,690 83	2,036 84		346 01
<b>Instruction:</b>							
Teachers' & Principals' Salaries		107,460 00	9 80	107,469 80	106,789 60	680 20	
Books & Other Instructional Aids		3,800 00		3,800 00	4,660 76		860 76
Scholars' Supplies		6,125 00	138 90	6,263 90	7,421 67		1,157 77
Salaries of Clerical Assistants		1,600 00		1,600 00	1,575 79	24 21	
Supplies & Other Expenses		1,960 00	86 28	2,046 28	1,972 94	73 34	
<b>Operation of School Plant:</b>							
Salaries of Janitors		5,500 00		5,500 00	8,980 24		3,480 24
Fuel		5,190 00		5,190 00	4,885 86	304 14	
Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses		5,200 00	562 03	5,762 03	6,761 34		999 31
<b>Maintenance of School Plant:</b>							
Repairs & Replacements	2,000 00	7,500 00	69 09	9,569 09	14,367 36		4,798 27
<b>Auxiliary Activities:</b>							
Health Supervision		3,230 00		3,230 00	3,050 17	179 83	
Transportation		12,500 00		12,500 00	13,105 62		605 62
Tuition					35 83		35 83
Special Activities & Special Funds		600 00	623 48	1,223 48	1,596 14		372 66
School Lunch	(*)125 90		4,161 31	4,035 41	4,375 65		254 56



# Fixed Charges:

Retirement  
Insurance, Treasurer's Bond &  
Expenses

8,595 00 8,595 00 8,579 87 15 13

## Capital Outlay:

Land & New Buildings  
New Equipment

3,288 00 168 90 3,258 05 198 85

Debt & Interest:  
Principal of Debt  
Interest on Debt  
Contingency Fund

30,600 00 30,600 00 29,332 35 1,267 65  
11,500 00 2,375 47 13,875 47 13,376 58 498 89  
25,000 00 25,000 00 25,000 00  
7,933 00 7,933 00 50  
1,500 00 1,500 00 1,500 00

(\*)\$125 90

\$2,000 00 \$257,281 00 \$8,303 09 \$267,458 19 \$275,743 69 \$4,752 74 \$12,952 56 \$85 68

## EXHIBIT D

## PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues  
and Budget Summary  
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956

	REVENUES		EXCESS	DEFICIT
	ESTIMATED	ACTUAL		
Surplus	\$3,039 44	\$3,039 44		
Federal Aid	1,875 00	1,475 10		\$399 90
Tuition	41,370 00	49,973 66	\$8,603 66	
Other Income	2,500 00	3,888 55	1,388 55	
	<hr/> \$48,784 44	<hr/> \$58,376 75	<hr/> \$9,992 21	<hr/> \$399 90

## Budget Summary

Actual Revenues		\$58,376 75	
Estimated Revenues		<hr/> 48,784 44	
Revenue Surplus			\$9,592 31
Overdrafts of appropriations	\$12,952 56		
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	<hr/> 4,752 74		
Net Overdraft of Appropriations			<hr/> (*)8,199 82
Net Budget Surplus			\$1,392 49
(*)Overdrafts Authorized by March 13, 1956 School Meeting with Funds Provided From Excess Revenues.			

## EXHIBIT E-1

## PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Classified Summary of Receipts and Expenditures  
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956

## RECEIPTS

<b>From Local Taxation:</b>		
Current Appropriation		\$208,496 56
<b>Federal Funds:</b>		
Smith-Hughes & George Barden	\$1,475 10	
National School Lunch	<hr/> 4,094 69	
		\$5,569 79
<b>Other Sources:</b>		
Tuition—High School	\$44,354 24	
Tuition—Elementary	<hr/> 5,619 42	

## Credits to Appropriations:

Scholars' Supplies	\$138 90	
Insurance, Treasurer's Bond & Expenses	\$168 90	
Supplies & Other Expenses	86 28	
Teachers' Salaries	9 80	
New Equipment	2,375 47	
Repairs & Replacements	69 09	
Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses	562 03	
School Lunch	66 62	
Supplies & Expenses	107 83	
Athletic Association	<hr/> 623 48	
		<hr/> \$4,208 40

**Other Income:**

Rent of School Property	\$55 00		
Sale of School Property	110 00		
Filing Fee	4 00		
Insurance refund	13 75		
Premium & Interest, Building Fund	3,705 80		
		\$3,888 55	
			\$58,070 61

Total Receipts			\$272,136 96
Balance, June 30, 1955			3,866 52

Grand Total \$276,003 48

**EXPENDITURES**

HIGH      ELEMENTARY      TOTAL

**Administration:**

Salaries of District Officers			\$245 00
Supt.'s Salary (Local Share)			3,174 97
Tax for State Wide Supervision			1,028 00
Salaries of Other Adm. Personnel			2,200 56
Supplies & expenses			2,036 84

Total \$8,685 37

**Instruction:**

Teachers' Salaries	\$42,702 91	\$58,849 69	\$101,552 60
Principals' Salaries	1,745 68	3,491 32	5,237 00
Books & Other Instructional Aids	3,228 09	1,432 67	4,660 76
Scholars' Supplies	3,659 19	3,762 48	7,421 67
Salaries of Clerical Assistants	525 17	1,050 62	1,575 79
Supplies & Other Expenses	1,026 07	946 87	1,972 94

Total \$52,887 11    \$69,533 65    \$122,420 76

**Operation of School Plant:**

Salaries of Custodians	\$2,993 27	\$5,986 97	\$8,980 24
Fuel	2,434 94	2,450 92	4,885 86
Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses	2,638 35	4,122 99	6,761 34

Total \$8,066 56    \$12,560 88    \$20,627 44

**Maintenance of School Plant:**

Repairs & Replacements	\$6,447 24	\$7,920 12	\$14,367 36
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**Auxiliary Activities:**

Health Supervision	\$1,015 46	\$2,034 71	\$3,050 17
Transportation	4,310 16	8,795 46	13,105 62
Tuition		35 83	35 83

**Special Activities & Special Funds:**

School Lunch		4,375 65	4,375 65
Athletic Program	1,596 14		1,596 14

Total \$6,921 76    \$15,241 65    \$22,163 41

**Fixed Charges:**

Retirement			\$8,579 87
Insurance, Treasurer's Bond & Expenses			3,258 05

Total \$11,837 92

**Capital Outlay:**

Land & New Buildings			\$29,332 35
New Equipment			13,376 58

Total \$42,708 93

**Debt & Interest:**

Principal of Debt	\$25,000 00
Interest on Debt	7,932 50
Total	<u>\$32,932 50</u>
Total Expenditures	\$275,743 69
Balance, June 30, 1956	259 79
Grand Total	<u>\$276,003 48</u>

**EXHIBIT E-2****PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT****Summary of Receipts, Expenditures and Proof of Balance  
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956**

Balance, June 30, 1955	\$3,866 52	
Receipts During Year	272,136 96	
	<u>          </u>	\$276,003 48
Expenditures During Year		275,743 69
		<u>          </u>
Balance, June 30, 1956		\$259 79

**Proof of Balance**

Balance in the First National Bank of Peterborough, as per Statement Dated June 27, 1956		\$15,456 13
<b>Add: Deposits Not Credited:</b>		
July 2, 1956	\$121 90	
July 5, 1956	64 41	
	<u>          </u>	\$186 31
		<u>          </u>
		\$15,642 44
Less: Outstanding Checks		15,382 62
		<u>          </u>
		\$259 82
Less: Overdeposit of July 2, 1956		03
		<u>          </u>
Reconciled Balance, June 30, 1956		\$259 79

**EXHIBIT F****PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT****Summary of Building Fund Account and Proof of Balance  
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956**

Balance, June 30, 1955	\$135,720 59
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**Receipts:**

Town Appropriation	\$11,000 00	
Gift	611 75	
Interest on U. S. Treasury Bills	670 07	
	<u>          </u>	12,281 82
		<u>          </u>
		\$148,002 41

**Expenditures:**

Building materials & supplies	\$138,615 55	
Transferred to General Account	3,755 80	
	<u>          </u>	\$142,371 35
		<u>          </u>

Balance, June 30, 1956	\$5,631 06
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**Proof of Balance**

Balance in the First National Bank of  
Peterborough as per Statement Dated June 19, 1956 \$5,631 06

**EXHIBIT G****PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Summary of School Lunch Account and Proof of Balance**  
**Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956**

Balance, June 30, 1955 \$250 06

**Receipts During Year:****Lunch Sales:**

Children	\$22,943 78	
Adults	1,620 82	
	<hr/>	\$24,564 60
Food Reimbursements		3,485 17
District Appropriation		.254 56
Special Milk		1,205 97
		<hr/>
		\$29,760 36

**Expenditures During Year:**

Food	\$19,527 99	
Labor, Adults	9,613 32	
Equipment	285 58	
Other	127 32	
	<hr/>	29,554 21

Balance, June 30, 1956 \$206 15

**Proof of Balance**

Balance in the First National Bank of  
Peterborough as per Statement Dated  
June 29, 1956 \$333 15  
Less: Check No. 421 Outstanding 127 00  

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Reconciled Balance, June 30, 1956 \$206 15

**EXHIBIT H****PETERBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Statement of Bonded Indebtedness, Showing Annual**  
**Maturities of Principal and Interest**  
**Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1956**

New High School 1.90%

Amount of Original Issue	\$430,000 00
Date of Original Issue	August 15, 1954
Principal Payment Date	August 15th
Interest Payable Dates	August 15th & February 15th
Payable At	Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.

Maturities, Fiscal Year Ending:	Principal	Interest
June 30, 1957	\$25,000 00	\$7,457 50
June 30, 1958	25,000 00	6,982 50
June 30, 1959	25,000 00	6,507 50
June 30, 1960	25,000 00	6,032 50

June 30, 1961	25,000 00	5,557 50
June 30, 1962	20,000 00	5,130 00
June 30, 1963	20,000 00	4,750 00
June 30, 1964	20,000 00	4,370 00
June 30, 1965	20,000 00	3,990 00
June 30, 1966	20,000 00	3,610 00
June 30, 1967	20,000 00	3,230 00
June 30, 1968	20,000 00	2,850 00
June 30, 1969	20,000 00	2,470 00
June 30, 1970	20,000 00	2,090 00
June 30, 1971	20,000 00	1,710 00
June 30, 1972	20,000 00	1,330 00
June 30, 1973	20,000 00	950 00
June 30, 1974	20,000 00	570 00
June 30, 1975	20,000 00	190 00
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	\$405,000 00	\$69,777 50

#### Summary of Bond and Coupon Account

Deposited in Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	\$7,932 50
Coupons Paid	<hr/> 7,885 00

On Deposit in Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co., April 6, 1956	\$47 50
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## PART V. CHILD ACCOUNTING AND STATISTICS

### A. PROMOTION TO HIGH SCHOOL

The following fifty-three pupils as compared with fifty-two in 1955 and forty-one in 1954, were promoted to High School in June, 1956:

Carol Baker, Thomas Baker, Maurice Barry, Maurice Belmore, Linda Blanchard, Ronald Bowman, John Burke, Polly Carll, Diane Carpenter, Lloyd Cochran, Kathleen Costello, Richard Craig, Stanley Davis, Alan Easton, Deanna Edmunds, Gwenne Estona, Thomas Farrell, Robert Flanders, John Fortin, Daniel Geoffrey, John Glazier, Anne Gilbert, Charles Grant, Susan Hatfield, Richard Jordan, Stephen Little, Terence Lowe, Alan Mawhinney, James McDonald, Nancy Muncil, Roger Murray, Earl Naglie, Marjorie Nichols, Marlin Pierce, Brenda Reynolds, Robert Richardson, Clorinda Rossi, Robert Russell, Christine Ryan, Virginia Sampson, Jane Stewart, Peter Stromgren, Peter Stuhlsatz, Ronald Tansey, Bruce Vanni, Ernest Vose, Christine Wenblad, Ray West, Bonnie Wheeler, Wallace Whitney, Francis Williams, Nancy Wright, and Joyce Yelland.

## B. GRADUATIONS FROM HIGH SCHOOL

Fifty-two students as compared with forty for 1955 and forty-three for 1954 were graduated from Peterborough High School in June, 1956:

William Bailey, Thomas Bair, Lorraine Blanchette, Bruce Brenner, Ronald Bunce, Donald Burke, Allan Burrows, Barbara Carter, James Champagne, Peter Cordatos, Judith Cutter, James Dodge, Janice Dolan, Millard Edwards, Elaine Florre, Dorothy Gray, Jean Guinard, Lillian Gupstill, Gale Hennessey, Anne Hill, Richard Hoyt, Elliott Huckins, Elizabeth Johnson, Robert Kierstead, Gordon Knight, Leslie MacNutt, Elaine Martin, Jere Morris, Lillie Naglie, Edward Niemela, Michael Odell, Fred Otterson, Danlee Paquet, John Plimpton, Maureen Plimpton, Alice Powers, Jack Quinn, Peggy Rajaniemi, Roger Reynolds, Elizabeth Robertson, Wayne Robinson, Nancy Rodger, George Russell, Jean Simonetta, Joan Simonetta, Charles Smith, Constance Taft, Martha Tenney, Burton Walker, Michael Walker, David Wilder, and Chris Yakovakis.

What do Peterborough High School graduates do on graduating? Those who graduated in 1956 are doing as follows:

40.3% have entered college.

7.7% have started specialized training in post-secondary institutions other than colleges.

13.5% entered the Armed Services.

7.7% found employment in clerical positions.

27.0% are engaged in miscellaneous employment.

1.9% are at home.

1.9% are married.

## C. STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1956

	HIGH	ELEM.	TOTAL
Number of pupils registered	275	429	704
Average number of days schools were in session	177	177	—
Average membership	262.4	408.4	670.8
Average attendance	245.6	379.2	624.8
Aggregate number of $\frac{1}{2}$ days all pupils were in school	86,948	134,226	221,174
Percent of attendance	93.6	92.9	—
Average number of days each pupil was in school	165.7	164.3	—
Non-resident pupils (tuition)	138	27	165
Pupils transported at district expense	45	215	260

**D. SCHOOL CENSUS AS OF SEPTEMBER 1, 1956**

Ages as of Sept. 1, 1956:

less than 1 year	31
1	45
2	41
3	47
4	54
5	58
6	48
7	41
8	52
9	68
10	46
11	34
12	41
13	52
14	51
15	39
16	39
17	44
Through 18	31
Total	<hr/> 862

**E. ENROLLMENT**

As of January 15, 1956

**PETERBOROUGH CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL**

Grade 1	55	Grade 7	46
Grade 2	53	8	60
Grade 3	45	9	84
Grade 4	61	10	78
Grade 5	59	11	63
Grade 6	44	12	51
	<hr/> 317		<hr/> 382
Grand Total 699			

**PART VI. AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL REPORTS****A. HEALTH**

To the Inhabitants and Taxpayers of the Peterborough School District:

December 31st symbolizes many things. To the taxpayers of the town it means the closing of the town books. To the health educator, the reviewing of records and the compiling of all the school health services. In completing this resume one finds



many health problems. Many of these are viewed with a different aspect and others are brought into clearer focus. You will find listed below the different services conducted throughout the year and the number of children who have participated in the various programs. But of what value is this to you if the problems found during the year are not brought to your attention?

The breakdown of my work from January 1, 1956 to January 1, 1957, is as follows:

Physical examinations	410
Defects	62
Heights and weights	509
Vision screening	144
Audiometer testing	449
Dental Clinics (No. Children)	24
Dental corrections	45
Sight conservation (Glasses)	26
Individual consultations	983
Vitamin Program	84
Speech Therapy	6
Polio Vaccine	587
Tuberculosis Patch Test	258
Chest X-Ray	78
Pre-school Physicals	45
Accident Insurance (Insured)	511
Reported Claims	45
Home Visits	44
Home Contacts	133
Professional Contacts	48
Communicable Diseases (Reported)	65

How much time do we spend a day listening to our children's problems? Our day is allotted to employment, shopping, entertainment, and club participation. We must remember that "growing up" is a hard job and that problems which seem minor to us as adults appear like an insurmountable mountain to our children. Thus mental hygiene must become a daily routine if the school services are to be utilized to their fullest.

The poem, "After School," from the R. & R. Magazine, I feel, emits many ideas in keeping with this subject, and I would like to include it in this report to you.

### After School

The house should have a cookie jar,  
 For when it's half-past three  
 And children hurry home from school  
 As hungry as can be,  
 There's nothing quite so splendid  
 In filling children up,  
 As spicy, fluffy ginger cakes,  
 And sweet milk in a cup.  
 A house should have a mother  
 Waiting with a hug,  
 No matter what a boy brings home,  
 A puppy or a bug.  
 For children only loiter  
 When the bell rings dismiss,  
 If no one's home to greet them  
 With a cookie or a kiss!

Respectfully submitted,  
 S/GLADYS NEWHALL, R.N., B.S., Ed.M.

## B. HELPING TEACHER'S REPORT

### Special Report on

### A Classroom Experiment in Remedial Reading

BY ROBERT L. FILBIN

#### Helping Teacher

Remedial reading instruction is something which is getting a lot of attention in our schools these days. Many teachers have become aware of the wide range of reading ability they find in their children. Some of them have raised a hue and cry with the result that there are remedial reading teachers, reading consultants, harassed principals devoting a part of their day to working with the problems of children, or in the type situation where this is not possible, fresh new supplies of very colorful phonics books, and a distraught teacher wondering why what she does doesn't have better results.

At the Peterborough Consolidated School two teachers, Mrs. Dorothy Morris and Mrs. Barbara Carll, are conducting an experiment in remedial reading in the classroom.

The background of this story begins in the spring of 1955 when I was invited by Dr. Richard Eustis, a well-known Boston pediatrician, to hear Anna Gillingham, remedial reading pioneer, speak at the Children's Medical Center in Boston. This outstanding woman held her audience of teachers and parents spellbound as she recounted the story of her work. Her statement that there are by conservative estimate 3,411,340 children mentally normal or even highly intelligent in the United States who cannot acquire by current methods effective reading and spelling skill, fell very forcefully upon my ears. I had heard

teachers express dismay over children who did not learn to read and spell in spite of their best efforts and had heard children fumble hopelessly for words they could not possibly pronounce and had wondered about the services of a remedial reading person. My immediate reaction was to get Anna Gillingham up to New Hampshire to speak to the elementary teachers of the schools I serve. She consented to come up from New York and did an outstanding job in speaking to them.

Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Carll were two of these teachers. After hearing Miss Gillingham they decided they wished to do something about the children of normal and above normal intelligence in their classrooms who had not learned to read and spell. Mrs. Morris, who teaches a second grade, and Mrs. Carll, who teaches a third grade, were provided with copies of Miss Gillingham's manual, "Remedial Training for Children with Specific Disability in Reading, Spelling and Penmanship."

As Mrs. Morris said, "Confronted with the thick manual I felt as baffled as I do when following directions for knitting a Scandinavian sweater, so I decided to adopt the same method and to read and do just one line at a time. It worked quite as well with reading as it does in knitting."

How were the children identified who needed this special help? First of all, as mentioned above, they were children of normal and above normal intelligence who had failed to learn to read to the best of their abilities. Some of the children were ambidextrous, sometimes stuttered, were usually good in arithmetic, frequently reversed words ("was" instead of "saw") not only in reading but spelling. They faltered in oral reading, failing to get proper attacks, making impossible guesses, and usually ending up in a state of flustered confusion. Actually there are about twenty per cent of all children in American public school classrooms who fit this description.

The approach set forth by Miss Gillingham is an alphabetic approach. The children are taught a few letters comprising one or two short sounds and consonants that have only unequivocal sound and forms which do not become another letter reversed (as b and d). When these letters are known by their names and sounds they can be made into words—synthetic phonics. Slowly new letters and letter combinations are introduced and new words are added and finally used in sentences.

Using this method both teachers worked with their "Gillingham" group for the year. The results were astonishing. Where the children had been stymied at pronouncing words, they themselves were astonished when they could sound out words beyond their grade level. The other children in the room who were learning by the sight-recognition method became interested and begged to read the word cards and to write the sounds on the board as the other children did.



The teachers felt that the most gratifying outcome of the experiment was the fact that the children who had been "misfits" because of their lack of reading ability in September were **part** of the class group in June, making their own contribution and realizing that they now belonged.

What about the Peterborough Project and the future? This year the program is to be expanded. Children entering the first grade will be tested to see whether they are potential language disabilities and will be grouped within the classroom and taught by the Gillingham method. It will be used in the second and third grade classrooms and in one fourth grade classroom. It is the hope of the staff to finally incorporate the program into the regular course of study, grades one through six.

This is considered to be an experiment by those participating. It is felt that the major portion of reading difficulties can be handled in the classroom by these methods and it is our hope to have sufficient data at the end of four years to prove it is. In the meantime, the children who have been taught to read as a result of the work done this year are our hope for what is to come—for is it not the obligation of the school to teach all children capable of learning to read and spell to the best of their ability? This is the challenge. We have accepted it.



# VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH, N. H., FOR  
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DATE AND PLACE	BABY'S NAME	FATHER'S NAME	MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME
Jan. 2	Peterborough	Robert R.	Gilbert Deschenes, Jr.
Jan. 3	Peterborough	Kent S.	Leslie H. Dyer
Jan. 5	Peterborough	Joyce M.	Richard C. Aho
Jan. 5	Peterborough	Diane L.	Charles A. Johnson
Jan. 6	Peterborough	William R.	Norman F. Carlson
Jan. 7	Peterborough	David L.	Robert L. Blanchard
Jan. 9	Peterborough	John E.	Herve E. Gautier
Jan. 10	Peterborough	Betty A.	Andrew J. Pelletier
Jan. 14	Peterborough	David J. M.	Ulysses S. Martin
Jan. 14	Peterborough	Anna M.	Aldie G. Dupuis
Jan. 15	Peterborough	Martha	Walter F. Colby
Jan. 19	Peterborough	Vicky A.	Mario Luscia
Jan. 19	Peterborough	Mary M.	Joseph M. Wallbillich
Jan. 20	Peterborough	Jonathan W.	Arno J. Hangas
Jan. 20	Peterborough	Stephen M.	Odvard M. Bergethon
Jan. 21	Peterborough	Bernard A., Jr.	Bernard A. Doucette
Jan. 22	Peterborough	Cheryl L.	George A. White
Jan. 23	Peterborough	Thomas C.	Wilfred C. Weston
Jan. 26	Peterborough	Jacqueline A.	Harold W. Adams
Jan. 27	Peterborough	Richard K., Jr.	Richard K. Wheeler
Jan. 27	Peterborough	Michael H.	Merle L. Aborn, Jr.
Jan. 30	Peterborough	Jerry W.	Wilbur C. Beaupre
Jan. 30	Peterborough	Gerard A.	George P. Bouley
Jan. 30	Peterborough	Hunter E.	Sheldon Carbee
Feb. 1	Peterborough	Mark F.	Ralph F. Johnson
Feb. 4	Peterborough	Brenda L.	Martin E. Somero
Feb. 7	Peterborough	Timothy J.	David B. O'Neil
Feb. 8	Peterborough	Richard L., Jr.	Richard L. Wright
Feb. 8	Peterborough	Kenneth B., III	Kenneth B. Wetherbee, Jr.
Feb. 10	Peterborough	Gary A.	Ralph E. Heald
Feb. 10	Peterborough	Reynald K.	Merrill R. Hill
Feb. 10	Peterborough	Bruce E.	Robert A. Nichols
Feb. 15	Peterborough	Jeilyn L.	Wilbert D. Moffat
Feb. 18	Peterborough	Michael R.	Charles R. Aho
Feb. 18	Peterborough	Charles A.	Edwin I. Muhonen
Feb. 19	Peterborough	Robin D.	Earl C. Wing
Feb. 21	Peterborough	Gary A.	Horace A. Jarst
Feb. 22	Peterborough	Kurt D.	Donald J. Belletete
Feb. 25	Peterborough	Laura L.	William H. Pearson
Feb. 26	Peterborough	James C., Jr.	James C. Pickford
Feb. 27	Peterborough	Irving F., 2nd	Irving F. Joseph
Feb. 29	Peterborough	Carol J.	Joseph E. A. Jacques
Mar. 1	Peterborough	Wayne D.	Wilfred A. Corey
Mar. 2	Peterborough	Mary J.	Albert G. Bresland
Mar. 3	Peterborough	Suzanne N.	Albert O. Alton
Mar. 3	Peterborough	Bruce E.	Lloyd C. Dunning
Mar. 4	Peterborough	Constance M.	Patrick L. Baillargeon
Mar. 5	Peterborough	Karen E.	Charles M. Fairfield
Mar. 5	Peterborough	Wayne J.	Ernest L. Kelley
Mar. 9	Peterborough	Sandra J.	Edson C. Ware
Mar. 9	Peterborough	Judy A.	Ernest N. Leger
Mar. 10	Peterborough	Geoffrey P.	Robert H. Pittman
Mar. 11	Peterborough	Alan D.	Robert D. Weathers
Mar. 12	Peterborough	Jeffrey K.	Ralph L. Hoyt, Jr.
Mar. 15	Peterborough	Linda S.	Charles E. Zabriskie
Mar. 17	Peterborough	Richard A.	George R. B. Frost
Mar. 18	Peterborough	Norman A.	Norman R. Langevin
Mar. 22	Peterborough	Linda L.	Ernest R. Scribner
Mar. 22	Peterborough	David R.	Maurice R. Edwards
Mar. 23	Peterborough	Colleen A.	Paul F. Card
Mar. 27	Peterborough	Gary S.	Dean P. Russell
April 3	Peterborough	Louise E.	Eugene S. Watson
April 7	Peterborough	Wayne L.	Arthur I. Harrison
April 9	Peterborough	Stephanie	Richard L. VanDyne
April 11	Peterborough	Karen J.	Stanley F. Emery
April 11	Peterborough	Steven S.	David K. Whitney
April 11	Peterborough	Alice E.	Anthony Anable, Jr.
April 11	Peterborough	Catherine M.	Glen C. Courser
April 15	Peterborough	John L.	James E. Cuddihue
April 19	Peterborough	Irene J.	Dennis O. Sutcliffe
April 26	Peterborough	Scott L.	Lewis S. Record, Jr.
April 26	Peterborough	Carolyn B.	Howard M. Preston
			Yvette A. Morin
			Hazel A. Burns
			Marilyn Wight
			Rena M. Paige
			Margaret E. Dockum
			Eunice J. Watt
			Simone T. Bernier
			Leona Y. Lavoie
			Bertha M. Bibeau
			Grace A. Lawrence
			Dorothy A. Wheldon
			Dolores J. Wing
			Mary E. Cotta
			Ellen H. Taival
			Priscilla E. Garran
			Mary E. Landry
			Verna L. Goulet
			Priscilla E. Atwood
			Eileen M. Thompson
			Theo A. Hardwick
			Gisela M. Lang
			Ciara A. LaCasse
			Anne M. Vaillancourt
			Beverly B. Bacall
			Virginia Stickney
			Nancy C. Tastula
			Estelle S. Ehnstrom
			Kay Jackson
			Gloria M. Robichaud
			Margaret E. Dixon
			Marlene Cooper
			Jennie I. Hull
			Arwin J. North
			Sylvia B. B. Cornwell
			Johanna M. Somero
			Virginia R. Edwards
			Ena R. Morrell
			Rita M. Jucius
			Lillian M. Reynolds
			Irene E. LaBarge
			Barbara A. Murphy
			Lucille L. Delisle
			Edith P. Hamer
			Margaret A. Walsh
			Vivian Y. Vaillancourt
			Mary J. Whipple
			Gemma M. Arguin
			Ruth E. Luce
			Dolores A. Norton
			Geraldine L. Smith
			Beatrice L. Brooks
			Penelope Packard
			Mary L. McGinnis
			Phyllis T. Knight
			Suzanne J. Murray
			Norma M. DeMont
			Jacqueline H. Cote
			Lorraine A. Robichaud
			Sylvia P. Howard
			Mabel E. Putnam
			Ruth Harriman
			Maeville E. Jordan
			Lorace M. Ring
			Shirley M. Chamberlain
			Mary A. Naglie
			Norma Sangermano
			Ann D. English
			Elelia G. Frechette
			Elsa Luoma
			Rose Carlen
			Ann M. Kirkman
			Shirley N. Cornish

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April 26	Peterborough	Arthur D.	Frederick D. Leavitt
April 27	Peterborough	George W.	George W. Doud
April 27	Peterborough	Eddie J.	Fernand Bergeron
April 30	Peterborough	Edward V.	Veikko W. Niskala
April 30	Peterborough	Kenneth G.	Harold L. Leavitt
May 2	Peterborough	Jennifer R.	Jonathan R. Elder
May 2	Peterborough	Brian L.	Leonard A. Somero
May 3	Peterborough	Louis J., Jr.	Louis J. Normandin
May 3	Peterborough	William F.	Charles J. McCabe
May 4	Peterborough	Paula M.	Philip E. Somero
May 5	Peterborough	Nina J.	Henry Hautanen
May 9	Peterborough	Keith M.	Malcolm L. Holt
May 9	Peterborough	Nathan W.	Newell V. Whitaker
May 11	Peterborough	James M.	Claud M. Pittman
May 13	Peterborough	Daren D.	Harlan Robertson
May 13	Peterborough	Vickie J.	Carlton W. Flanders, Jr.
May 13	Peterborough	Laurie J.	William F. McAneney
May 14	Peterborough	Alvin G.	Richard D. Reid
May 17	Peterborough	John L.	Howard B. Kullgren
May 18	Peterborough	Linda A.	Thomas F. Hughes
May 19	Peterborough	Linda L.	Raymond S. Blanchette
May 19	Peterborough	Jennifer L.	Norman E. Cody
May 20	Peterborough	Orloff G.	Rev. Orloff W. Miller
May 21	Peterborough	Syrene A.	Harold B. Walker
May 21	Peterborough	Sarah L.	John B. Rice
May 28	Peterborough	James L.	Rennie Saville
May 28	Peterborough	Sheila M.	Melvin B. Collins
May 29	Peterborough	Elyse A.	Henry T. Wilson
May 29	Peterborough	Brian K.	Wallace H. Weaver
May 30	Peterborough	Andrew C.	Carle R. Bergeron
May 31	Peterborough	Kenneth A.	Arthur C. Plante, Jr.
May 31	Peterborough	Tedd A.	William O. Cluff
June 1	Peterborough	Steven M.	Donald K. Sawtelle
June 5	Peterborough	Marie I.	Roland E. Belanger
June 8	Peterborough	Stephan P.	Reuben F. Korpi
June 8	Peterborough	Mark M.	Ernest L. Whitney
June 10	Peterborough	Michele	Preston A. Gilmore
June 15	Peterborough	Thomas A.	Joseph E. Babneau
June 17	Peterborough	Roland J., Jr.	Roland J. Hardy
June 20	Peterborough	Joel P.	Raymond C. Hannon
June 22	Peterborough	Richard J.	Richard F. Waldo
June 22	Peterborough	Alvin J., Jr.	Alvin J. Hanson
June 22	Peterborough	Susan H.	Arthur W. Chickering
June 22	Peterborough	Christine M.	Gordon T. Miller
June 22	Peterborough	Audrey L.	Nelson E. Moulton
June 23	Peterborough	Bonita L.	Nelson E. Moulton
June 24	Peterborough	Joy	Richard C. Foster
June 26	Peterborough	William F.	Francis E. McLaughlin
June 26	Peterborough	Gerald E., II	Gerald E. Durgin
June 26	Peterborough	Alfred J. J., Jr.	Alfred J. J. Warren
June 27	Peterborough	Mark S.	Rodney F. Mansfield
June 27	Peterborough	Kathryn A.	Francis J. Leger
June 28	Peterborough	Sandra L.	Viature A. Racine
June 28	Peterborough	Sharen L.	Viature A. Racine
June 29	Peterborough	Frank A.	Frank W. Jones
June 30	Peterborough	Paul C.	Dana L. Knight
July 1	Peterborough	Jeffrey H.	Paul J. Wilkinson
July 1	Peterborough	Harriet E.	Gordon H. Dickie
July 2	Peterborough	Fern A.	Roland J. Day
July 2	Peterborough	Martha J.	John D. Pratt
July 3	Peterborough	Patricia M.	Paul Roberge
July 3	Peterborough	Valerie A.	Harold G. Stafford
July 4	Peterborough	Rebecca J.	Edwin E. Cutter
July 4	Peterborough	Sherree L.	Philip Tartas
July 9	Peterborough	Jan A.	Rocco R. Pasquale
July 11	Peterborough	Michael E.	Ernest H. Rousseau
July 12	Peterborough	Jerry D.	Sidney F. Willis
July 14	Peterborough	Mary-Frances K.	Louis J. P. Blais
July 14	Peterborough	James E.	James B. Knight
July 14	Peterborough	Edward M.	Wilfred E. Randall
July 18	Peterborough	Jan D.	Donald C. Gillam
July 19	Peterborough	Albert M.	Raymond J. St. Pierre
July 20	Peterborough	Rae A.	Raymond O. Emery
July 20	Peterborough	Kim J.	Paul Salamy
July 22	Peterborough	Frederic K.	John P. Lane
			Rosalie A. Despres
			Marjorie Wallace
			Lorraine M. Leger
			Shirley A. Antilla
			Joyce A. Campbell
			Elizabeth R. Wenblad
			Elizabeth R. Smith
			Maxine L. Newhall
			Joan T. Quirk
			Shirley A. Haggblad
			Elaine E. Duva
			Shirley Shaw
			Patricia A. Hibbard
			Jacquelyn Hoar
			Verna E. Davidson
			Olive L. Fenton
			Regina C. Guillemette
			Mildred I. Sherman
			Barbara A. Fitzgibbon
			Grace R. Burrows
			Marlene R. Beauvais
			Grace M. Worth
			Mary J. Williams
			Dorothy S. Black
			Barbara Preble
			Isabelle M. A. Forcier
			Marilyn T. Newell
			Cecile A. Landry
			Dorothy E. Goodenough
			Priscilla J. Peters
			RoseMarie L. Thibault
			Barbara Allen
			Patricia A. Tierney
			Rose A. Bernier
			Sara A. Georgian-McGrath
			Emily A. Clegg
			Carolyn L. Wallace
			Barbara H. Burnham
			Anna M. Caron
			Florence A. Simons
			Janet R. Tremblay
			Elizabeth A. Blanchette
			Joanne E. Nelson
			Carol J. Heinonen
			Marion L. Huntington
			Marion L. Huntington
			Joy Sturgis
			Edna M. Banks
			Dorothy C. Brisette
			Della J. Muzzey
			Sally A. Stuart
			Joan Hamer
			Anna B. Knight
			Anna B. Knight
			Marian E. Hoyt
			Bernice V. Day
			Alice F. Lewis
			Harriet E. Whitney
			Freida C. Schmidt
			Elsie R. Wilson
			Madelyn M. Brodeur
			Eleda B. White
			Caroline E. Ramsey
			Clara R. Woodward
			Joan D. Burt
			Rachel L. Desrosiers
			Barbara F. Ossman
			Thelda D. Pavlock
			Barbara J. Tiersbier
			Shirley A. Clark
			Joyce E. DeCelle
			Theresa M. Gamache
			Adelina M. Boccelli
			Patricia S. Bellavance
			Constance V. Gould



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July 25	Peterborough	Ruelle G.	Richard M. Martin
July 27	Peterborough	Wayne A.	Andrew Miller
July 28	Peterborough	Randall L.	Richard H. Donovan
July 30	Peterborough	Barbara L.	Charles L. Pratt
July 30	Peterborough	Patricia A.	Charles W. Guptill, III
July 30	Nashua	Thomas E.	Robert J. Callum
July 31	Peterborough	Steven E.	Erwin M. Holdner
July 31	Peterborough	Glenn A.	Albert J. Lehtonen
July 31	Peterborough	Kandace	Robert P. Flynn
Aug. 5	Peterborough	Carol M.	Lester W. Parker
Aug. 7	Peterborough	Cheryl A.	Roland H. Hutchinson
Aug. 8	Peterborough	Valerie J.	George H. Lewis
Aug. 8	Peterborough	Ann L.	James T. Halfpenny
Aug. 14	Peterborough	Mary J.	Walter E. Petersen
Aug. 14	Peterborough	Peter K.	Peter Martel
Aug. 15	Peterborough	Vanessa J.	Charles I. Gagnon
Aug. 15	Peterborough	Chris C.	Charles I. Gagnon
Aug. 15	Peterborough	Timothy W.	Earl R. Dane
Aug. 18	Peterborough	David A.	Rev. Frederic A. Pease
Aug. 21	Peterborough	Catherine M.	Leo U. LeClair
Aug. 21	Peterborough	Susan M.	Raymond J. Boulerrisse
Aug. 22	Peterborough	Randy T.	Thomas C. Naylor, Jr.
Aug. 22	Peterborough	Margaret A.	Harlan C. R. Aho
Aug. 23	Peterborough	Betty J.	Albert P. Cloutier
Aug. 23	Peterborough	Victoria	Joseph H. Tansey
Aug. 24	Peterborough	Rosemarie A.	Robert A. Davis
Aug. 25	Peterborough	Joel	Robert J. Behrsing
Aug. 25	Peterborough	Dennis P.	Wesley D. McClure
Aug. 26	Peterborough	Michael C.	Hammond L. Chandler
Aug. 28	Peterborough	Rebecca M.	James B. McCarthy
Aug. 29	Peterborough	Cathy E.	Aylmer H. Given, Jr.
Aug. 29	Manchester	Heidi A.	George P. Hafeli
Sept. 1	Peterborough	Gary M.	Richard H. Mayer
Sept. 2	Peterborough	Pamela J.	Paul I. Devlin
Sept. 2	Peterborough	Samuel P.	Ferdinand V. Sirois
Sept. 3	Peterborough	David A.	Harry L. Dorr
Sept. 5	Peterborough	Frederick M.	Hjalmer W. Aho
Sept. 5	Peterborough	Teresa A.	Raymond Nutting
Sept. 8	Peterborough	Debra J.	Norman H. Russell
Sept. 8	Peterborough	Stephanie I.	Alan B. Tallarico
Sept. 9	Peterborough	Debra L.	Peter J. Comolli
Sept. 9	Peterborough	Peter K.	Ronald H. Ruffie
Sept. 11	Peterborough	Brian M.	Wallace G. Wright
Sept. 13	Peterborough	Kim E.	William Whiles
Sept. 15	Peterborough	Cheryl L.	Laurence A. Southwick
Sept. 15	Peterborough	Stephen P.	Samuel C. Zachos
Sept. 24	Peterborough	Roger E.	Arthur J. Knoll
Sept. 24	Peterborough	Cindy H.	William H. Wilder, Jr.
Sept. 25	Peterborough	Walter F.	Walter C. Mazza
Sept. 27	Peterborough	Wayne D.	Nelson E. Lafreniere
Sept. 29	Peterborough	Cathy J.	Robert N. McLean
Sept. 29	Peterborough	Laurence W.	Walter J. Parker
Sept. 30	Peterborough	Kevin A.	Philip E. Gregg
Oct. 1	Peterborough	Ann R.	Lincoln B. Lounsbury, Jr.
Oct. 4	Peterborough	John M.	Kenneth A. Brighton
Oct. 4	Peterborough	Bruce W.	Joseph P. Russell, Jr.
Oct. 4	Peterborough	Joseph B.	Robert E. Reilly
Oct. 6	Peterborough	Bryan W.	Wilfred A. Rodier
Oct. 8	Peterborough	Nancy M.	Marcel G. Bernier
Oct. 8	Peterborough	Carol A.	Donald H. Hurlbut
Oct. 9	Dover	Patricia A.	Thomas J. McAdam
Oct. 9	Peterborough	Roy G.	Ray F. Haskell
Oct. 13	Peterborough	Ronald L.	Lawrence R. Kullgren
Oct. 13	Peterborough	Wayne W.	Edmond A. Gauthier
Oct. 15	Peterborough	Denise A.	Roland J. Tracey
Oct. 16	Peterborough	Vicky A.	Raymond H. LaChance
Oct. 18	Peterborough	Daniel P.	Philip A. Iotte
Oct. 18	Peterborough	Jacqueline L.	Fonald J. Vaillancourt
Oct. 30	Peterborough	Marjorie J.	Esko J. Ojanen
Oct. 25	Peterborough	Janet L.	Charles H. Lindstrom
Oct. 26	Peterborough	Dorothy A. E.	Terry E. McGovern
Oct. 29	Peterborough	Jeanne M.	Joseph A. Duval
Nov. 1	Peterborough	Nancy A.	Frank R. MacWilliams
Nov. 2	Peterborough	Francis W., Jr.	Francis W. Rajaniemi
Nov. 4	Peterborough	Arthur W., Jr.	Arthur Warren Merrill
			Gail E. Gray
			Frances P. Holland
			Betty J. Miller
			Shirley M. Smith
			Patricia A. LeFleur
			Rita M. Warrington
			Evelyn M. Bennett
			Barbara A. Antilla
			Lorraine R. Cabana
			Toini C. A. Walkonen
			Pauline M. Greene
			Marion E. Moffitt
			Pauline R. Smith
			Leona King
			Sally M. Bisson
			Jeanne C. St. Pierre
			Jeanne C. St. Pierre
			Elizabeth E. Somero
			Lillian C. Zearchrisson
			Edna E. Maki
			Betty A. Frost
			Barbara H. Flagg
			Theresa E. McHugh
			Eileen Ling
			Nancy J. Carabiniero
			Laura A. Pelkey
			Elizabeth M. Ludwig
			Pauline F. Paige
			Margery J. Traxler
			Marjorie L. Eaves
			Mary T. Desmarais
			Hazel M. Wilson
			Muriel E. Merrill
			Judith Perry
			Joan Stratton
			Caroline H. Strickland
			Elmi E. Frigid
			Pauline E. McCormack
			Lucille E. Ford
			Dorothy Russell
			Pauline M. Fournier
			Marie Royce
			Monna B. Powell
			Mildred E. Crane
			Sylvia B. Lougee
			Linnea M. Farhm
			Ruth E. Rumrill
			Helen M. Blanchette
			Herta Schloemmer
			Gladys A. Cheney
			June M. Pasquerella
			Beatrice G. L'Etoile
			Cynthia E. Strickland
			Margaret J. Ferris
			Elizabeth Clark
			Bernadette C. Dionne
			Nellie M. Brzozowski
			Arlene T. Chouinard
			Lauretta M. Blanchette
			Dorothy E. Coulter
			Elizabeth A. Gitschier
			Yvonne N. Deslaurier
			Joan R. Banker
			Irene L. Christian
			Katherine A. Donnelly
			Mabel F. Loomis
			Nancy Abbott
			Theresa B. Bergeron
			Taimi I. Asiala
			Marilyn J. Putnam
			Helen T. Perry
			Charlotte I. Phillips
			Doris E. Hawkins
			Viola C. Grasmuck
			Alice M. Huntington

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DATE AND PLACE	BABY'S NAME	FATHER'S NAME	MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME	
Nov. 6	Peterborough	Debra A.	Margiorinio S. Ascani	Lorraine M. Gagnon
Nov. 7	Peterborough	Candice	Richard S. Townsend	Marion M. Bland
Nov. 7	Peterborough	Mark L.	Albert G. Stratton	Kathleen M. Stebbins
Nov. 7	Peterborough	Lisa E.	Ellsworth V. Brown	Carmen M. Morneau
Nov. 11	Peterborough	Andrew R.	Walter R. Peterson, Jr.	Dorothy Donovan
Nov. 13	Peterborough	Kenneth E.	George K. Maki, Jr.	Joanne M. Anttila
Nov. 14	Peterborough	Katherine L.	Edward W. Woods	Barbara L. Griswold
Nov. 16	Peterborough	Mary E.	George A. Coombs	Claire A. Donovan
Nov. 17	Peterborough	Mark R.	Theodore A. Seppala	Shirley M. Somero
Nov. 24	Peterborough	Paul R.	Paul F. Olson	Virginia E. Drury
Nov. 24	Peterborough	Stephen P.	Frederick P. Koallick	Virginia R. McIver
Nov. 25	Peterborough	Herbert L.	Raymond F. Turner	Cynthia M. Sumner
Nov. 25	Peterborough	Rebecca J.	Robert C. McQuillen	Priscilla J. Scribner
Nov. 25	Peterborough	Dana R.	Oliver W. Lessard	Ruth E. Brainard
Nov. 28	Peterborough	Diane C.	Frederick N. Jones	Jeannette A. Cameron
Dec. 1	Peterborough	Lawrence C.	George O. Lord	Hazel B. Clary
Dec. 5	Peterborough	Robin	David B. Parke	Avis A. Strong
Dec. 6	Peterborough	Cheryl A.	Howard E. Hurd	June Turner
Dec. 8	Peterborough	Vincent M.	Carl F. Ehrler	Helen E. Garnham
Dec. 9	Peterborough	Sheryl A.	Frederick M. Gibbs	Iona R. Roberts
Dec. 17	Peterborough	Michael F.	Foster A. Wilder	Margaret E. Silver
Dec. 17	Peterborough	Edmund C., Jr.	Edmund C. Hemas	Nancy J. MacEwen
Dec. 21	Peterborough	Sheelah M.	Don E. Lawler	Edith A. Storrs
Dec. 22	Peterborough	Philip J.	Arthur P. Maki	Eleanor I. Hautanen
Dec. 22	Peterborough	Philip M.	Rev. Robert M. Cross	Nancy M. Vercoe
Dec. 22	Peterborough	Lincoln R.	Rev. Robert M. Cross	Nancy M. Vercoe
Dec. 23	Peterborough	Patricia A.	Norman I. Petts	Carol R. Thayer
Dec. 23	Peterborough	Alice L.	Donald S. Pratt	Elizabeth A. Courtney
Dec. 24	Peterborough	Norman E., Jr.	Norman E. Hill	Rosemarie Ellis
Dec. 25	Peterborough	Cynthia B.	Philip J. Woodbury, Jr.	Mary E. Day
Dec. 25	Peterborough	Susan C.	Kenneth O. Bellemer	Evelyn L. Strack
Dec. 26	Peterborough	Bryan R.	Ronald L. Lizotte	Ann E. Sillanpaa
Dec. 26	Peterborough	Paul R.	Robert A. Lafreniere	Laurette M. Pelletier
Dec. 26	Peterborough	Cynthia L.	Donald E. Blaikie	Jacqueline G. Barclay
Dec. 27	Peterborough	Keith P.	Phillip E. Knowlton	Loretta M. Caron
Dec. 28	Peterborough	Donna L.	Charles E. Blood	Beverley R. Call
Dec. 28	Peterborough	Ronald D.	Arthur A. Hakala	Ida M. Aho
Dec. 28	Peterborough	Elaine L.	Philip F. Martus, Jr.	Nancy J. Small
Dec. 29	Peterborough	Jonathan C.	Albert B. Williamson	Joan W. Healey
Dec. 30	Peterborough	Richard J.	Robert F. Ellis	Elizabeth M. Martin
Dec. 31	Peterborough	Marcia A.	Richard S. Pihl	Hazel A. Dorry



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DATE AND PLACE		NAMES	NAME AND STATION OF PERSON OFFICIATING
Jan. 4	Peterborough	Emil O. Kauppinen Anni A. Hoiska	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Jan. 7	Salem, Mass.	George A. Morison Elizabeth C. Pousland	Rollin J. Fairbanks Clergyman
Jan. 23	Peterborough	Donald J. Joslyn Ellen S. Benedict	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Jan. 27	Peterborough	Thomas J. Fay Stella Solomakos	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Jan. 28	Peterborough	William E. Howell Jean E. Patterson	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Feb. 18	Peterborough	Samuel M. Stevens Emma I. E. Boutwell	Edric A. Weld Clergyman
Feb. 18	Peterborough	Earle B. Marshall Nancy J. Eaves	Richard J. Bailar Clergyman
Feb. 18	Peterborough	Raymond F. Turner Cynthia M. Sumner	Richard J. Bailar Clergyman
Feb. 25	Peterborough	Alvah W. Pierce Dorothy E. Latti	Richard J. Bailar Clergyman
Mar. 3	Peterborough	Charles J. Levesque Rose M. LeBlanc	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Mar. 17	Greenfield, N. H.	Francis B. Magoon, Jr. Shirley A. Rich	William E. Finch Clergyman
April 19	Peterborough	Roger A. Nickerson Marcia E. Gifford	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
April 26	Peterborough	Frank L. Aycock Leona M. Willard	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
May 5	Peterborough	Normand E. Desrosiers Pearl N. Robideau	Frank J. Crowley Catholic Priest
May 12	Peterborough	Joseph Zengierski Ida L. Robideau	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
May 19	Peterborough	Jose Branco Claire A. Morad	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
May 19	Peterborough	John Leuskas Viola E. Day	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
May 19	Bennington, N. H.	Donald H. Fritz Shirley M. Griswold	Thomas H. Billings Clergyman
May 25	Peterborough	Andrew F. Couney Joan D. MacLean	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
May 26	Peterborough	David L. Judge Myrtle J. King	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
June 1	Peterborough	Clyde R. Graves Dorothy F. Tyler	Richard J. Bailar Clergyman
June 2	Concord, N. H.	Bruce R. Jones Anita M. Coughlin	Paul Clark Catholic Priest
June 9	Peterborough	Edward G. Maki Victoria L. Stewart	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
June 9	Peterborough	Stanley L. White Marguerite T. Lanza	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
June 16	Peterborough	Herbert E. Capron Marjorie R. McLaughlin	Richard Bailar Clergyman

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June 22	Peterborough	Henry C. Hryckiewicz Gloria A. Winton	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
June 23	Greenfield, N. H.	Richard A. Noyes Marianne T. Harris	David B. Parke Clergyman
June 23	Peterborough	Donald Crabb Anna Shanander	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
July 1	Peterborough	Joseph Rudd, 3rd Elisa H. Starr	Charles W. F. Smith Clergyman
July 3	Peterborough	Charles W. Cook, 3rd Kennethe M. Chaffee	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
July 14	Peterborough	Hollis S. Cole Norma M. H. Hatch	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
July 21	Peterborough	Floyd L. Wakefield Marie E. Wood	Frederick A. Pease, Jr. Clergyman
July 27	Peterborough	James J. McDonald Florence A. Fallon	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Sept. 1	Peterborough	Theodore K. Belville Rachel C. Dolan	Frank J. Crowley Catholic Priest
Sept. 4	Peterborough	David A. Morley Ruth E. Barholm	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Sept. 15	Peterborough	Gardner B. Hannon Helen G. Gronbach	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Sept. 15	Peterborough	John Farquhar Norma G. Clark	Earle Y. Fellows & Robert C. Sneed, Clergymen
Sept. 22	Peterborough	Harold E. Porter Shirley R. Thurber	Richard J. Bailar Clergyman
Sept. 29	Manchester	Donald E. Pierce Jane M. Linke	Mark B. Strickland Clergyman
Oct. 1	Peterborough	Joseph D. Murray Merlene L. Aborn	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Oct. 7	Peterborough	Arthur J. Laliberte Marie S. Ledoux	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Oct. 7	Peterborough	Harold E. Peters Judith A. Harris	David B. Parke Clergyman
Oct. 20	Peterborough	Romeo J. Caron Jeannette M. Letourneau	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Oct. 20	Peterborough	Donald B. Snyder, Jr. Rosamond Langmaid	Whitney Hale Clergyman
Oct. 20	Hillsboro, N. H.	Ralph I. Coulter Thalia M. Kulbacki	Leo A. Plante Catholic Priest
Oct. 27	Keene, N. H.	Hilarie V. Gagnon Elsie D. Lussier	Francis R. Curran Catholic Priest
Nov. 14	Peterborough	Howard E. Thompson Gracia G. Harcourt	Standard T. Carmichael Clergyman
Nov. 17	Peterborough	Emile A. Peront Shirley A. Dolan	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Nov. 17	(Hyannis) Barnstable Mass.	Bruce C. Webb Ann Tripp	A. King Boutwell Clergyman
Nov. 20	Peterborough	Robert E. Howe Geraldine T. Vallee	Robert C. Sneed Clergyman

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Nov. 23	Peterborough	Donald R. Parslow Carol A. Proal	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Dec. 1	Peterborough	Wayne H. Elliott Shirley L. Blanchette	Richard J. Bailar Clergyman
Dec. 4	Peterborough	James R. Hoey Hazel M. Brownson	Algie A. Holt Justice of the Peace
Dec. 22	Peterborough	Robert M. Doris, Jr. Marjorie A. Simonetta	Frank J. Crowley Catholic Priest
Dec. 29	Hillsboro, N. H.	Roger E. Guinard Ellen M. Clough	Leo A. Plante Catholic Priest

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DATE AND PLACE		DECEASED NAME	AGE—YEARS
Jan. 2	Newton, Mass.	Kermit E. Madden	53
Jan. 10	Peterborough	Rosanna D. Pevear	82
Jan. 11	Peterborough	Edward G. Rokes	71
Jan. 14	Peterborough	Patrick J. Tracey	74
Jan. 14	Peterborough	Thayer S. Townsend	65
Jan. 18	Peterborough	Eliza L. Willets	67
Jan. 24	Peterborough	Myrtie M. French	64
Jan. 26	Gloucester, Mass.	Annie S. Williams	90
Jan. 28	Peterborough	Fred P. Waite	87
Jan. 31	Peterborough	Harlan E. Karr	48
Feb. 4	Peterborough	Minnie E. Knight	90
Feb. 7	Peterborough	Arthur H. Wetherbee	76
Feb. 9	Fitchburg, Mass.	Elizabeth M. (Jutrus) Norwood	75
Feb. 17	Concord, N. H.	Grace Waite	80
Feb. 19	Boston, Mass.	Perley G. Bishop	61
Mar. 2	Concord, N. H.	Charles A. Davis	80
Mar. 18	Peterborough	Ellen G. Cowdrey	91
Mar. 23	Bedford, N. H.	Rachael P. Brainerd	15
April 1	Peterborough	Annie M. Davis	76
April 1	Winchendon, Mass.	Nora R. (Burpee) Mann	65
April 2	Peterborough	Alta B. Devens	47
April 6	Lancaster, Mass.	Minnie B. S. Reynolds	87
April 8	Peterborough	Elizabeth B. Schrepfer	65
April 13	Peterborough	Andrew Kolapakka	85
April 23	Peterborough	Lotta B. Olsen	70
April 25	Peterborough	Perl A. White	81
April 29	Peterborough	Clarence E. McCormack	79
May 1	Peterborough	Agnes Quimby	81
May 2	Peterborough	Laura E. Hahn	78
May 7	Peterborough	William R. Munhall	59
May 8	Peterborough	Bertha E. Robertson	79
May 10	Peterborough	Nathan W. Whitaker	30 hours
May 13	Peterborough	Waino Lammi	42
May 13	Portland, Maine	Lawrence B. Munhall	53
May 16	Peterborough	Jennie C. Wyman	57
May 19	Peterborough	Georgia G. Sullivan	75
May 20	Peterborough	Elizabeth M. Bryant	78
May 22	Milford, N. H.	Laura A. Hurd	72
May 23	Peterborough	Joseph A. Morse	85
May 24	Peterborough	Fannie R. Parrott	72
May 26	Peterborough	John D. Weston	80
May 28	South Berwick, Maine	Paul W. Bishop	64
May 28	Peterborough	Maude T. Fiske	77
June 1	Peterborough	Esther B. Weston	49
June 1	Peterborough	Robert H. Thibault	46
June 2	Somerville, Mass.	Mary E. Seitz	82
June 3	Peterborough	Bertie S. Bassett	68
June 14	Peterborough	Levi M. Bixby	82
June 14	Peterborough	Mary B. Merrill	94
June 18	Peterborough	Lillian M. Abare	73
June 18	Peterborough	Francis J. Naglie	81
June 25	Peterborough	Margaret E. Costello	72
June 26	Peterborough	William A. Stewart	74
June 27	Chevy Chase, Maryland	Louis M. Prindle	94
July 1	Peterborough	Laura M. Reynolds	59
July 4	Peterborough	Marie F. Harvey	82
July 13	Peterborough	Nellie E. Vose	79
July 17	Peterborough	Maude M. Riopelle	66
July 18	Hancock, N. H.	Linda A. Hughes	2 months
July 21	Peterborough	Elizabeth P. James	64
July 22	Peterborough	Charles H. Littlefield	79
July 23	Peterborough	Ann Ansboro	74
July 24	Peterborough	Patrick E. Burke	79
July 26	Peterborough	Ruth E. Joyce	61
July 31	Peterborough	Donaldetta Ervin	73
July 31	Peterborough	Percy A. Wight	54
Aug. 9	Concord, N. H.	Edna Ellsworth	66
Aug. 12	Peterborough	Matti N. Maki	81
Aug. 17	Peterborough	Mary E. Delaney	79
Aug. 23	Los Angeles, Calif.	Marian N. MacDowell	98
Aug. 26	Peterborough	George E. Hastings	98
Aug. 30	Peterborough	Wilhelmina Proctor	31
Aug. 31	Peterborough	Alphonsine Fortin	77
Aug. 31	Peterborough	Ellen V. Keating	88
Sept. 7	Peterborough	John B. Cote	75



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Sept. 10	Dublin, N. H.	Malcolm R. Cook	62
Sept. 13	Peterborough	Peter L. Sweeney	3
Sept. 13	Cambridge, N. Y.	Ernest C. Scriber	72
Sept. 17	Peterborough	Laura P. Batchelder	91
Sept. 24	Peterborough	Lizzie B. Hale	85
Sept. 25	Peterborough	Lucy A. Brooks	80
Sept. 27	Peterborough	Alphonsine F. Morneau	55
Sept. 29	Concord, N. H.	Ethel C. Smith	86
Sept. 29	St. Petersburg, Fla.	Henry F. Miller	68
Oct. 1	Peterborough	Sarah A. Smith	69
Oct. 3	Peterborough	Kevin A. Gregg	3 days
Oct. 9	Peterborough	Rose E. Broderick	73
Oct. 15	Peterborough	Anna M. Goyette	92
Oct. 17	Peterborough	Edward A. Buzzell	82
Oct. 18	Weehawken, New Jersey	Alice M. Smith	77
Oct. 20	Peterborough	Frank H. Belcher	77
Oct. 21	Peterborough	Maximilian K. Weis	62
Oct. 22	Hamden, Connecticut	Ruth K. Stahl	59
Oct. 23	Peterborough	James C. Naglie	84
Oct. 28	Peterborough	Mildred E. Diamond	61
Oct. 30	Peterborough	Edward Carlson	76
Nov. 3	Peterborough	Gertrude N. C. Larrabee	83
Nov. 6	Peterborough	Dick R. Eaves	57
Nov. 11	Peterborough	Mary R. Pelletier	68
Nov. 17	Peterborough	Mary L. Hills	77
Nov. 19	Peterborough	Mary E. Coombs	68 hours
Nov. 24	Peterborough	William F. Dickey	82
Nov. 26	Peterborough	Joseph S. Cordingley	92
Nov. 28	Peterborough	Eva B. Towle	66
Dec. 2	Peterborough	John L. Brownell	76
Dec. 3	Peterborough	Arvid A. Enberg	66
Dec. 5	Peterborough	Honore P. Fournier	74
Dec. 5	Peterborough	Mary E. N. Senechal	71
Dec. 9	Peterborough	Bessie Bragdon	100
Dec. 12	Peterborough	Maija Ruuspaka	77
Dec. 24	Peterborough	Lincoln R. Cross	2 days
Dec. 28	Peterborough	Bryan R. Lizotte	1 day 12 hrs.
Dec. 29	Peterborough	Lena S. Tielineen	72

ALGIE A. HOLT, Town Clerk

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## PETERBOROUGH HYMN

A. D. 1620

God our Father!  
    Glory Lord, to Thee!  
Before whose voice  
    Is mute the thund'ring sea!  
Through wind and foam  
    Thou lead'st us home—  
To Thee be glory through eternity.

Lord, hunger and cold are nigh!  
Lord, not for ourselves we cry—  
Let not our children die!  
Silence your loud alarms  
God is our shield from harms—  
He will make strong our arms.  
Christ, who hath calmed the wave,  
Christ will uphold the brave.  
Christ, our Saviour!  
    Father of our Faith!  
To Thee we bring faint hearts and failing breath,  
    Be Thou our Guide!  
    With Thee we bide,  
To love, to labor, and to hope till death!

EDWARD MACDOWELL